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### FIVE GENERATIONS TOGETHER FOR CHRISTMAS



When 92-year-old Mrs. D. McNeill of Roblin, Man., arrived here Friday she saw her great-great-granddaughter, shown here on her lap, for the first time. Baby Cheryl Ann Lowther is just four months old. It was one of those extremely rare instances when five generations have a chance to get

together. It happened at home of J. E. Atkey, 1498 Dallas Road. Left to right are Mrs. J. J. Lowther, 21, 4103 Shellbourne; Mrs. McNeill and Cheryl; Mrs. McNeill's daughter, Mrs. J. E. Atkey; and Mrs. R. Geernaert, Lady-smith, Mrs. Atkey's daughter. The group will be together for Christmas.

### Disabled Navy Ship En Route. To Esquimalt Under Own Power

#### COAST GUARD THANKED FOR PROMPT ASSISTANCE

Rear Admiral J. C. Hibbard, flag officer, Pacific Coast, today officially expressed gratitude for assistance in the Cedarwood operations.

A radio message to USCG Sorrell said: "Your prompt action in standing by Cedarwood is greatly appreciated. Many thanks and good luck."

To the RCAF station at Comox, which dispatched a Lancaster to the scene, he messaged: "Greatly appreciate the air cover provided by 407 Squadron during recent Cedarwood operations."

#### UNEXPECTED SEA DUTY

### 9 Women Among 23 Workers On Navy Ships at Rescue

An expected "few hours" at sea to watch Navy training ships in action turned into at least a three-day voyage for 23

#### WIRE BRIEFS

##### Demand UN Action

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (UP)—The United States today accused Communist China of violating the Korean truce agreement by imprisoning 11 American airmen as "spies" and demanded urgent United Nations action to obtain their release.

##### 10 To Be Charged

TORONTO (BUP)—Police said today that at least 10 persons would be charged in a \$100,000 vacation pay book swindle.

##### Canucks Get Player

QUEBEC (CP)—Left-winger Earl Johnson of Quebec Aces has been sent to Vancouver Canucks of the Western Hockey League as part of a deal with New York Rangers of the National Hockey League.

Johnson has scored 12 goals in 21 games this year with the Quebec Hockey League Aces.

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## Vancouver Crime Wave 'Near Reign of Terror'

### 'First Step Means War', Says Grotewohl

**E. German Premier  
Warns West Powers**

BERLIN (UP)—East German Premier Otto Grotewohl said today Communist China promised at the Moscow security conference to fight side by side with the Soviet Union if war breaks out in Europe. Grotewohl told a press conference the Chinese Communist observer informed the Moscow meeting his country will extend its 1950 friendship pact with the Soviet Union to cover European events.

According to Grotewohl, observer Chang Wen-Tien said Red China decided to put this treaty in force if the Soviet needs help in Europe. The East German premier called this a "very, very important result" of the conference. He advised the western powers to consider this Chinese pledge before they ratify the Paris agreements to rearm Germany.

At a reception for the East German conference delegation Grotewohl said the first step the new West German Army takes on East German soil "would mean the opening of the Third World War."

### Citizens Demanding Immediate Action

(From BUP and CP Dispatches)

VANCOUVER—Public wrath over a rampage of crime on the lower mainland reached new peak today when angry citizens demanded immediate action by police to halt a near reign of terror.

The demand for action followed two bank hold-ups Friday which netted gunmen nearly \$10,000 and brought to eight the number of banks robbed in the Greater Vancouver area in the past month. A total of \$65,000 has been stolen in the eight raids.

The two bank robberies during the Friday evening bank opening—one in West Vancouver and the other in New Westminster—came only hours after police were issued with machine guns and ordered to patrol Vancouver streets.

Apartment from the bank robberies, one other armed hold-up took place Friday night when a lone gunman robbed a grocery store of \$13.

Vancouver police were issued with additional weapons Friday on orders of Mayor Fred Hume who said, "If they (the bandits) want to get tough, we can get tough, too."

Friday's first robbery came in New Westminster when a

### Gunman Slips Through Cordon

The manhunt was centred in famed Stanley Park after the West Vancouver bandits crashed through a roadblock at the Lions Gate toll bridge and

sped into the park, their only avenue of escape.

Police patrols attempted to ring off the 1,000-acre park and made an exhaustive search of the area, but the gunmen apparently slipped through the cordon.

Early today, police had few clues, as has been the case in six other bank robberies in the Vancouver metropolitan area in the last six weeks. The area has a population of about 485,000.

Friday night's raids raised the bandits' take to \$70,000 since Nov. 4.

The largest haul was made Wednesday when two hold-ups, staged in the same pattern as Friday's raids, netted gunmen more than \$42,000.

Three men bulled their way through the locked doors of a (Continued on Page 25)

### Chelsea XI Scores Upset Over Wolves

LONDON (UP)—Wolverhampton, first division leader, suffered its first defeat for two months today when Chelsea scored a 4-3 win on the Molineux ground to provide the upset of the day on the league soccer card.

The Wolves, however, kept top placing in the standings by the margin of one point over Sunderland and Manchester United, the only two among the leading five teams to win today.

Huddersfield provided another of the day's surprises by taking a 1-0 home beating from Burnley, while lowly placed Arsenal upset all calculations by holding home team Blackpool to a 2-2 tie. (See results page 3.)

### Pope Pius Continues On Road to Recovery

VATICAN CITY (AP)—Two cardinals emerged from a bedside audience with Pope Pius XII today and reported finding the gravely ill pontiff "much better and more cheerful."

The two prelates, Eugene Cardinal Tisserant, dean of the College of Cardinals, and Nicol Cardinal Canali, said the Pope spent a comparatively restful night.

Physicians earlier reported the 78-year-old Pius was in dangerous but no longer desperate condition. His strong heart gave hope for his survival.

The cardinals said the Pope was "most cordial" during the 15-minute meeting, one of several the pontiff has arranged despite his illness. He is reported to have talked Friday with Msgr. Domenico Tardini, a close associate in the Vatican state secretariat, and Msgr. Giovanni Battista Montini, recently appointed Archbishop of Milan, who has been mentioned as a possible successor to the papal throne.

Two of the specialists told The Associated Press later that the Pope's strong heart likely will carry him through the present crisis. Both emphasized, however, that the Pontiff remained in critical condition. "I believe that he is no longer in imminent danger of death," said Dr. Luigi Vittorio de Stefani. In a separate interview, the noted Italian surgeon, Prof. Raffaele Paulucci, expressed a similar view.

### CITY UNEMPLOYMENT CLIMBING HIGHER

The number of pre-Christmas job-seekers in the city is higher than the average for the past seven years, C. A. Mudge, manager of the National Employment Service Office, said today.

More men registered for work this week at the National Employment Office. Part of the total was due to seasonal conditions, while layoffs and persons seeking part-time Christmas work added to the number.

Demand for extra sales clerks to meet the Christmas rush has been small, although there have been a large number of applications for such work. Factory work is practically nonexistent.

### New Storm

LONDON (AP)—Strong winds lashed storm battered Britain again today with gusts reaching speeds of 98 miles an hour in some places and threatening ships at sea.

"We now have gale warnings out for all land and sea areas," said a meteorological office spokesman.

Early today a large part of an Edinburgh church roof flew off. One section, weighing more than a ton, landed in a garden 100 yards away.

### MARILYN BELL PROVED WORTH OF TEEN-AGERS

It was more than just a spectacular swimming performance which caused the mild hysteria that gripped Canada and the continent when Marilyn Bell swam Lake Ontario. Gregory Clark, writing in Weekend Magazine in this issue, says it was restitution for all the bad things people have been saying and writing about teen-agers. It proved that today's teen-agers have the courage, tenacity, application and devotion that some people have said they haven't. Turn to Weekend Magazine for the first of two articles on this aspect of Marilyn's swim.

### Big Victoria Stores Tighten Security

Hudson's Bay, Woodward's Employ Armored Car Service in Case Mainland Badmen Here

Two city department stores adopted new security measures against hold-up this week, in the wake of increased robberies on the mainland.

Both Hudson's Bay Company and Woodward's Stores Ltd. have stopped sending deposits to banks by messenger and armed guard. In future, both stores will have their deposits called for by Loomis Armoured car service.

Several city banks have adopted a policy of keeping smaller sums of money in tellers' cages and special secret guarding arrangements have been made by city police.

The T. Eaton Company has employed the armoured car service for some time.

The possibility of Vancouver's crime wave spreading here is belittled in most quarters, due to difficulty which could occur in escaping back to the mainland.

But as one authority said, "Why take chances?"

### REDS FREE CANADIAN SUNDAY

### MacKenzie May Give Spy Charge Details

LONDON (CP)—The Daily Telegraph says Sqdn. Ldr. A. R. MacKenzie, 34-year-old Canadian fighter pilot, may throw considerable light on the interrogation and trial of 13 Americans accused by Communist China of spying.

MacKenzie, a Montrealer, was shot down over North Korea two years ago while serving with the United States Air Force on loan from the RCAF. He is to be released by the Chinese Communists at Hong Kong border Sunday.

The Daily Telegraph says: "MacKenzie was picked up at about the same time, and it is believed, in roughly the same area as two of the Americans. 'Until fairly recently, it is understood, the Chinese insisted he was an American, and it is believed likely that he was interrogated together with some at least of the 13 convicted Americans.'"

MacKenzie leaves China Sunday and starts home to his wife and four children in Montreal who haven't seen him for more than two years.

### Snow?

Yes... or  
Maybe No

VANCOUVER (BUP)—The first snow of the season may fall on Vancouver during the weekend, the weather office said today.

The weather office said some snow may be mixed with rain-showers in the upper levels of the city Sunday afternoon. A mass of cold air spreading south from the north coast is responsible for the threat.

Victoria's weather forecast calls for mostly cloudy skies Sunday with a few showers in the morning and perhaps some sunshine in the afternoon.

### Manitoba Bandit Suspect Dies Following Gun Battle With RCMP

BRANDON (CP)—A suspected bandit was killed early today in a gun battle which raged for half an hour at a police roadblock on the southwestern Manitoba prairie.

One Mountie was wounded in the hand as a youth opened fire on two RCMP officers when they moved in to check his car and were caught momentarily in the beam of its headlights.

The battle ended with the youth sprawled dead on the front seat, still clutching a sawed-off .22-calibre rifle.

The roadblock was one of a number set up following a hotel robbery Friday night at Portage la Prairie, in which a bandit carrying a sawed-off rifle escaped with \$253.

RCMP said the dead youth's description tallied with that of the Portage gunman.

They said that he rolled down a window and fired at the two officers as they approached him in their patrol car four miles east of Brandon.

CUT ESCAPE ROUTE

The policeman returned the fire, radioing for reinforcements as they moved in to hem off any possible escape routes.

Then they abandoned the car and took cover in a ditch. In the first exchange of shots a bullet caught Constable R. G. Allan in the left hand but the wound was not serious.

Allan and Constable R. Dow fired again after calling out for the unidentified youth to surrender but getting no answer.

The battle continued. The car was rushed when the 22's silence indicated he had been hit. Fourteen slugs rattled the car, one of them tearing through the youth's mouth.

RCMP reported later that they have established his identity but that his name would not be released until next-of-kin have been notified.



Feller suggests a new slogan for our neighbor: "A tank in ev'ry bank."

Tain't a financial panic in Vancouver yet, but there's certainly a run on th' banks.

D' they hold civic elections near Christmas hopin' th' voters'll be generous?



## CAPITAL LETTER

A Public Debt by Any Other Name . . .

By ART STOTT

THERE is a gay irresponsibility to the story of the woman who was given a cheque book by the bank. The bank showed her how to write cheques and she kept writing them. When the bank told her she had overdrawn her account, she wasn't worried a bit. She had lots of cheques left, she explained.

You get something the same impression from the Bennett government's discussion of British Columbia's debt.

There is something essentially cheerful in Premier Bennett's and Attorney-General Bonner's announcements that the present government has cut public debt by \$50,000,000 during the two years it has been in power, and that B.C. will have no debt

## Matters of Record

It is a matter of record that \$25,145,000 has been retired on debenture debt since October, 1952. Some of that was contracted as early as 1928, some as late as June 30, 1950. In all, a dozen repayments have been made.

It is also a matter of record that during the Social Credit regime another \$10,447,000 has been paid off on serial debentures. Together these identified payments amount to \$35,592,000.

And where did the money come from? Mr. Bennett's budget shows that all but the last instalments came from sinking funds set up by the previous administrations and that all but \$4,399,000 of the serial debenture retirement fund was supplied by Mr. Bennett's predecessors. In other words, governments in office

## Detailed Guarantees

Mr. Bennett has detailed the borrowings which the Social Credit administration has guaranteed. Up to the beginning of October, 1954, these included bonds for new schools—floating in the name of the municipalities but guaranteed by the government—amounting in total to \$30,272,900.

Up to the same date in October, only \$4,500,000 of PGE bonds had been placed on the market. These, too, are government-guaranteed.

By the same date government guarantees had been placed behind \$18,550,000 of the B.C. Power Commission's issues arranged since Mr. Bennett became premier.

## Switching Accounts

The argument is advanced that school borrowings will be paid back on a 50-50 basis by the municipalities and the government—possibly in the latter case from consolidated revenue without the issuance of special bonds.

It is also noted, and correctly, that the B.C. Power Commission borrowing is self-liquidating. Power users pay rates which cover retirement of bonds.

And it is contended that the PGE, with its projected north and south extensions, will earn enough to do what it has never done before—pay off indebtedness on the system.

All this may be true. But what does it add up to beyond debt bookkeeping?

The people of British Columbia are borrowing large sums through the government by

## Mendes-France Wins Vote Of Confidence

PARIS (Reuters)—Premier Mendes-France, fighting off a determined onslaught on his government, won a vote of confidence early today on his handling of the "defense secrets leakage case."

The 287-240 vote was also a renewal of confidence in his government's overall policies, according to the interpretation Mendes-France had given to it before it was taken.

But for the first time since he took office nearly six months ago, his government emerged weakened from an assembly debate. The vote in his favor was the lowest the premier has had so far.

## 112 Centres Nominated For B.C. Civic Vote

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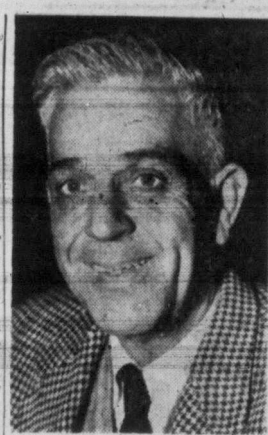
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employee of Jameson Motors Ltd., who is seeking election next week as a Saanich councillor. The candidate has been a resident of Saanich for 30 years and formerly took an active interest in the Parent-Teachers Association.

## Light-Up Deadline Nearing

Entry Forms Must Be In By Dec. 15

The December 15 deadline for entry into home Christmas decoration contest sponsored by the Junior Chamber of Commerce is approaching quickly, and would-be participants are being urged to pick up entry forms as soon as possible.

There are six classes in the contest: completely decorated house, decorated window or door, Christmas garden lighting, novelties, Biblical scene by boy or girl 10 to 16 years of age, and non-contestant.

Judges will take into account originality, artistry and lighting techniques.

Entry forms are available at Williams' Grocery, Newport Grocery, the Food Hamper, Estevan Hardware, Uplands Grocery, Oak Bay Hardware, Magnet Hardware, Jubilee Hardware, Gorge Hardware, Shelbourne Drugs, Turner's Confectionery, Burnside Hardware, Quadra Hardware, Cloverdale Hardware, Stelck's Hardware and Esquimalt Hardware stores, Butler Bros., Mill's Hardware, White's Grocery, Field's Grocery, 926 Lyle Street; Deb's Variety, Gorge View Grocery, Halstrum's, Hooper's, Paint Supply, MacDonald's Electric, Kent's, James Bay Cleaners, Hickman-Tye, Eaton's, Gray's Fine Foods, Woolworth's, Individual Dry Cleaners, Fairfield Hardware, McLennan, McPeck and Prior, Kresge's and Metropolitan Stores.

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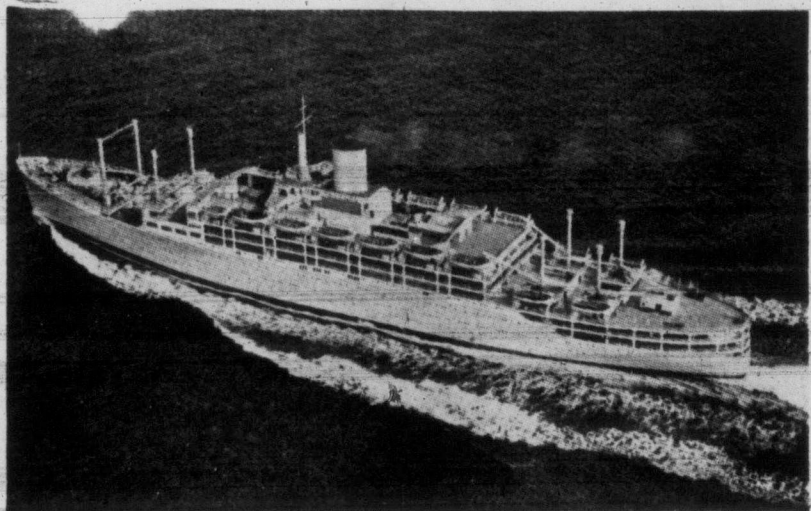
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**ORIENT LINES' 28,000-ton luxury liner RMS Oronsay will pass Victoria Sunday afternoon inbound from the Antipodes and San Francisco for Vancouver. She has requested pilot for 3 p.m., and will pick up customs, immigration and quarantine officials at**

William Head before proceeding to the mainland. Oronsay's first trip in the service was made in January of this year. Campaign by Victoria Chamber of Commerce to have her call here was unsuccessful.

## No 'Arty' Conception For City Says Planner

Arches, Statues, Monuments 'Out'

The man employed to plan Victoria's future physical development can't see wide, boulevard streets with arches, statues and monuments.

Those things, Brahm Weissman, director of the Capital Region Planning Board, told an architects' meeting Friday were essentials for capital city 100 years ago. But such features are not wanted here.

Any attempt to make Victoria look like other capital cities, he said, would be "a fake, not realistic and not functional."

Speaking at an Empress Hotel luncheon for members of the Architectural Institute of British Columbia, Mr. Weissman said it was not his intention, either, to come up with "a super-functional plan in keeping with the atomic age."

He said his objective was to prepare a guide for future physical development that would make the capital region a more pleasant and efficient place to live, work and play.

Responsibility for implementing the ideas of the planner will be up to the municipalities, he said.

One of his first tasks, he explained, will be to recommend the allocation of land use to meet the wants and needs of the people.

There would be no point in reserving many square miles for industrial use, he explained, unless there was indication that the land would be used for that purpose.

"The fact that you reserve land for industrial use isn't going to encourage industries to come here," he said. "It could lead to middle."

He suggested it was unwise, too, to lump all industrial establishments together, since the morning and nightily flow of persons to and from work from such an area could constitute a serious traffic problem.

## JOY REIGNS IN MAHORE... FIRST HOLLY PROMISED

It may come as a shock to hear there are areas in Canada where holly is never seen... but there are.

From Wymark, Saskatchewan, today came a letter from Nettie Buckert, secretary of the Mahore Civic League, which says just that.

She writes the Chamber of Commerce here: "We have heard that holly grows in your city. We have never seen real holly except in pictures. Would you mind sending us a few branches?"

"She's certainly going to get them," said chamber managing secretary Hector Crombie. "Definitely."

## Victoria 'Backwater'? Not Architecturally

B.C. 'Promised Land' for Young Ambitious Building Designers

Victoria is no backwater architecturally even though it is not industrially heavy compared with other centres, John L. Davies, ARI, B.A., MRAIC, Vancouver, newly-elected head of the Architectural Institute of B.C., said here today.

Emphasis here, he said, was on commercial rather than industrial aspects of the profession—apartment houses, stores and similar structures.

He saw a "very definite" future for his profession in B.C. and by way of illustration pointed out that of the 28 new institute members, 14 came from Great Britain.

Mr. Davies, who graduated in England himself, has lived in many world centres and said that of all places, jobistically speaking, he prefers Vancouver.

B.C. was "the promised land" for persons in his group. The feeling was still strong that the older countries, particularly in Europe, were still ahead of the new countries in architectural progression, he said.

Retiring president John Wade of Victoria, said that B.C. architects in many respects were producing better drawings than their eastern counterparts.

In his report to the institute conference which ends here today, he said membership now stands at 178, plus 37 student registrations.

Fred Brodie of Vancouver, reported on work of the Vancouver chapter on "smog control" in which it is co-operating with the community planning association.

**Author James Hilton In Serious Condition**  
LONG BEACH, Calif. (AP)—The condition of author James Hilton, 54 ("Goodbye Mr. Chips"), was reported unchanged Friday. Hilton was admitted to the hospital Nov. 21 and his condition was described as serious Thursday. Dr. David Wigod said the British-born writer is suffering from an infection and high fever.

**CHARMING DEBUSSY**  
The profoundly rich and beautiful Toccata in D major of Bach lacked somewhat in penetration; it did not unfold leaf upon leaf, as such music must. The Mendelssohn Variations Series on the other hand were magnificently played. One of the later Beethoven Sonatas, E minor, Op. 90, particularly revealed the young artist as thoughtful, immensely sincere and conscious of the epic poetry inherent in the music.

Impressionism of Debussy is well suited to Miss Barnum's qualities, and three of his works proved among the evening's most charming.

But it was in the humor, distinctive character and imagery of "Pictures at an Exhibition" that she was at her best. Broad masses of tone, rich and sonorous, scintillating passages of the utmost brilliance, testified not only to her agility and power, but also to an impressive sense of phrase and climax.

Korean printers cast bronze type in sand and printed books at least four decades before John Gutenberg independently invented separate type characters of metal in Germany in the 1430's.

Grass cut shorter than one and one-half inches may not have enough leaf surface to manufacture food for new growth.

Aside from a highly efficient technique, Miss Barnum's outstanding attribute is a touch of extreme plasticity. The tone she evokes is sensitive, and she is capable of producing exactly the right texture of tone at the instant demand of the music. At one moment it may be broad and dark colored, at another searingly bright as a flash of brass tone in an orchestra phrase; at still another so delicate that it seems almost disembodied.

There is no smudgy phrasing or fingering, bravura passages having a definition and vitality easily comparable to such pianists as Maryla Jonas.

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**APT AND GRACEFUL**  
**Refreshing Recital By Tone-Rich Pianist**

Whether or not Marion Barnum intended her programming of Mussorgsky's "Pictures at an Exhibition" as a graceful compliment to the Arts Centre which sponsored her recital Friday evening at Oak Bay Junior High School, the selection was a most apt one and brought to a close an evening of deep musical satisfaction.

The young Vancouver-born pianist deserved a better audience in point of numbers, but could scarcely have had a more appreciative one. She has a fresh and delightful talent and presented something a little out of the ordinary in the way of a program, which in itself was refreshing.

Bach, Beethoven and Mendelssohn comprised the first half, all three represented by less frequently heard compositions. In the second half she devoted herself to music of later masters, Scriabin, Stravinsky, Debussy and Mussorgsky.

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## Vancouver Girl Wants To Tackle Icy Strait

Pat Russell Would Like To Swim Alongside Marilyn Bell, Flo Chadwick and Others

VANCOUVER (CP)—A pretty 18-year-old university student added her name Friday to the growing list of swimmers who hope to cross Juan de Fuca Strait next summer.



NANNIE... another murder?

## Did Nannie Slay Mother Too...?

TULSA, Okla. (UP)—Authorities prepared today to issue a fourth murder warrant against pink-cheeked Mrs. Nannie L. Doss—this one for the slaying of her mother.

North Carolina authorities found vital organs taken from the mother's body were "strong positive of arsenic." The mother, Mrs. Louisa Holden Hazel, died at Lexington, N.C., on Jan. 3, 1953, two days after a visit from Mrs. Doss.

A warrant, charging the 49-year-old widow with murdering Mrs. Hazel was expected to be issued today.

"I did not poison her," Mrs. Doss said when Tulsa county attorney J. Howard Edmondson told her of the North Carolina report. "I had nothing to do with it."

Arsenic previously was found in the remains of three of Mrs. Doss' husbands, and she has been charged with murder in each of their deaths.

Mrs. Doss, freely confessed murdering four of her husbands—the first divorced her—but she has denied responsibility for the deaths of seven other relatives: her father, two daughters, two sisters and a step-grandson, as well as her mother.

## Board Refuses To Decertify Plumbers' Union

MONTREAL (CP)—The Quebec labor relations board has rejected a request that it decertify a plumbers union on grounds that some of the union's officials were Communists.

The decision was the first made by the board since the legislature last year passed a bill authorizing the decertification of any union with Communist officials.

The board's decision was on a petition by the Corporation of Plumbing and Heating Contractors of Quebec. It sought decertification of the Montreal local of the International Union of Plumbers and Pipefitters (AFL), on the communism grounds.

## Leukemia Killed Five Here in Year

Leukemia, which has stricken eight-year-old Carol Ann Lavigne, of 1220 Pembroke Street, took five lives in Victoria and Esquimalt last year.

Statistics compiled by the Union Board of Health show one child of two, and four persons over 60 died from leukemia in 1953.

To brighten Carol Ann's final days a television set was installed in her home today. The set was provided by Eric Young and David Banfield of Young & Banfield Radio Service. They say the set will remain with the Lavignes as long as Carol Ann needs it.

## Heated Toronto Mayoralty Contest Will End Monday

TORONTO (CP)—A slapdash civic election campaign, complete with flying mud, ends Monday when Toronto voters decide whether they want to keep their appointed mayor.

Leslie H. Saunders, a Salvation Army sergeant-major, veteran of two campaigns as a controller, was appointed mayor in August when Allan A. Lamport left to become a member of the Toronto Transit Commission.

The mayor is the major issue in the election. His opponents describe him as "intolerant and bigoted." He claims there is "a vile and frequently dishonest campaign to discredit me..." Two actions of Mr. Saunders

## PROTESTANTS PRAYING FOR POPE PIUS

OTTAWA (BUP)—Monsignor Giovanni Panico, Apostolic delegate to Canada, appeared on CBC-Television last night to urge continued prayers for the recovery of Pope Pius XII.

The apostolic delegate said, in part:

"He (the Pope) is suffering very much, and although this morning his condition was reported to have somewhat improved, he is still in danger of death. I have asked the bishops, the clergy, the religious and all the Catholics of Canada to pray for him."

"Last night, I spoke by telephone to His Eminence Cardinal Spellman (in New York), who told me that in the United States they were praying very hard for Pope Pius... and this morning I heard with great comfort... that in Boston more than 2,000 Protestants were praying for the supreme pastor of the Catholic church."

"I was not surprised in hearing this, because I well know in what high esteem the Holy Father is held by all, even by non-Catholics, and how he has won the heart of all those who had the occasion to see or meet him."

"Last September, when I had the pleasure to have as my guest External Affairs Minister Lester B. Pearson... he recalled with grateful remembrance the audience that he and Mrs. Pearson had had with the Pope two years ago."

**Adenauer Plans To Quit Post as Foreign Minister**  
BERLIN (UP)—Chancellor Konrad Adenauer announced today he will quit his second job as foreign minister after ratification of the Paris agreements and devote himself to supervising West German rearmament.

"My principal aim will be to ensure that the military does not gain the upper hand over the civil power in the country," he said.

During his term as mayor drew major salvos from his three opponents—a lawyer, an insurance agent and a Communist.

Some controllers walked out several weeks ago when he banned the press from board of control meetings.

Nathan Phillips, 61, a lawyer, is a veteran of 28 years on city council and a vociferous critic of the mayor. He recently accused Mr. Saunders of maintaining a plush suite at the Royal York Hotel at civic expense and of gathering votes through his membership in the Progressive Conservative party. The mayor denied both.

Arthur A. Brown, 53, an insurance underwriter, was a student preacher 30 years ago in southern Alberta. He blasted city housing policy and demanded speed up of redevelopment in downtown areas.

A. A. MacLeod, the Communist, is a former Labor-Progressive member of the Ontario legislature.

Toughest fight for the four board of control seats is among the present controllers—Ford Brand, David Balfour, Roy Belyea and Ross Lipsett—and F. J. Cornish, who ran a close fifth last year.

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## O.C. SOCCER

LONDON (Reuters)—Results of today's British soccer games:

**ENGLISH LEAGUE**

**Division I**  
Aston Villa 0, Cardiff 2.  
Blackpool 2, Arsenal 2.  
Bolton 7, Preston 0, postponed.  
Charlton 1, Sheffield 1.  
Huddersfield 1, 0, Burnley 1.  
Manchester U. 3, Leicester C. 1.  
Preston 0, W. Bromwich 1.  
Sheffield W. 0, Newcastle U. 3.  
Sheff. Wed. 2, Manchester C. 2.  
Tottenham H. 1, Everton 1.  
Wolverhampton W. 3, Chelsea 4.

**Division II**  
Blackburn R. 1, Leeds U. 2.  
Bristol R. 1, Stoke C. 1.  
Derby C. 2, Lincoln City 0.  
Doncaster R. 2, Hull City 2.  
Fulham 1, Notts Forest 1.  
Liverpool 3, Middlesbrough 1.  
Notts County 3, Birmingham C. 2.  
Plymouth A. 1, Rotherham U. 1.  
Port Vale 1, Luton Town 1.  
Sheff. Wed. 4, Ipswich Town 1.  
West Ham U. 3, Bury 3.

**Division III—Southern**  
Aldershot 0, Leyton O. 1.  
Bournemouth 1, Brighton 1.  
Colchester U. 2, Shrewsbury 1.  
Crystal P. 1, Southampton 2.  
Exeter City 1, Walsall 1.  
Newport C. 2, Bristol C. 2.  
Northampton 1, Coventry C. 0.  
Norwich City 0, Reading 1.  
Queens P. R. 4, Torquay U. 2.  
Southend U. 0, Gillingham 1.  
Swindon T. 1, Millwall 1.  
Watford 2, Brentford 2.

**Division III—Northern**  
Bradford 0, Halifax T. 1.  
Cardiff 0, 2, Barnsley 4.  
Chester 1, Bradford C. 0.  
Clyferfield 1, Wrexham 1.  
Crewe Alex. 1, Scunthorpe U. 1.  
Darlington 3, Accrington 0.  
Gateshead 4, Mansfield T. 0.  
Grimsby T. 3, Oldham A. 1.  
Hartlepool 0, Workington 2.  
Rochdale 1, York City 1.  
Stockport C. 1, Barrow 2.  
Tannemore 3, Southport 2.

**SCOTTISH LEAGUE**  
**Division A**  
Celtic 2, East Fife 2.  
Dundee 4, Motherwell 1.  
Falkirk 2, Clyde 1.  
Hibernian 2, Saint Mirren 1.  
Kilmarnock 0, Aberdeen 4.  
Partick T. 3, Stirling A. 3.  
Queen of South 1, Rangers 2.  
Raith Rovers 0, Hearts 4.

**Division B**  
Aberdeen R. 3, Morton 3.  
Aberdeen A. 2, Partick A. 3.  
Arbroath 1, Brechin City 0.  
Dunfermline A. 2, Queens Park 1.  
Hamilton A. 1, Dundee U. 1.  
R. Johnson 2, Aldershot 1.  
Third Lanark 0, Ayr United 0.

**IRISH LEAGUE**  
**Division A**  
Ard 3, Portadown 3.  
Ballymena U. 2, Cliftonville 1.  
Crusaders 2, Linfield 2.  
Derry City 2, Bangor 1.  
Glenavon 1, Distillery 1.  
Glenrath 3, Coleraine 1.

**Division B**  
Ard 3, Portadown 3.  
Ballymena U. 2, Cliftonville 1.  
Crusaders 2, Linfield 2.  
Derry City 2, Bangor 1.  
Glenavon 1, Distillery 1.  
Glenrath 3, Coleraine 1.

**Division C**  
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Ballymena U. 2, Cliftonville 1.  
Crusaders 2, Linfield 2.  
Derry City 2, Bangor 1.  
Glenavon 1, Distillery 1.  
Glenrath 3, Coleraine 1.

**Division D**  
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Ballymena U. 2, Cliftonville 1.  
Crusaders 2, Linfield 2.  
Derry City 2, Bangor 1.  
Glenavon 1, Distillery 1.  
Glenrath 3, Coleraine 1.

**Division E**  
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Ballymena U. 2, Cliftonville 1.  
Crusaders 2, Linfield 2.  
Derry City 2, Bangor 1.  
Glenavon 1, Distillery 1.  
Glenrath 3, Coleraine 1.

**Division F**  
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**Division G**  
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Crusaders 2, Linfield 2.  
Derry City 2, Bangor 1.  
Glenavon 1, Distillery 1.  
Glenrath 3, Coleraine 1.

**Division H**  
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Ballymena U. 2, Cliftonville 1.  
Crusaders 2, Linfield 2.  
Derry City 2, Bangor 1.  
Glenavon 1, Distillery 1.  
Glenrath 3, Coleraine 1.

**Division I**  
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Crusaders 2, Linfield 2.  
Derry City 2, Bangor 1.  
Glenavon 1, Distillery 1.  
Glenrath 3, Coleraine 1.

**Division J**  
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Crusaders 2, Linfield 2.  
Derry City 2, Bangor 1.  
Glenavon 1, Distillery 1.  
Glenrath 3, Coleraine 1.

**Division K**  
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Crusaders 2, Linfield 2.  
Derry City 2, Bangor 1.  
Glenavon 1, Distillery 1.  
Glenrath 3, Coleraine 1.

**Division L**  
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Glenavon 1, Distillery 1.  
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**Division M**  
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Glenrath 3, Coleraine 1.

**Division N**  
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**Division P**  
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**Division T**  
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## The Chance of Tax Cuts

MR. WALTER HARRIS, THE new Canadian minister of finance, made a wise speech in Montreal recently but framed it in rather foolish language.

He left the impression, in the minds of the newspaper reporters anyway, that he was hinting at a reduction in taxes next year. As an experienced politician he should have known that his remarks on such a vital subject would be examined eagerly by every taxpayer in the country and played up in every headline.

A careful reading of the full text shows that Mr. Harris made no forecast of tax reductions. He marveled, he said, at the public's appetite for state expenditure and its willingness to pay the resulting bill. He regarded present tax rates as pretty high and excessive taxes as a danger to enterprise. But, at the same time, he warned against excessive reductions in the budget as a danger to the nation's future and noted the inevitable high cost of government. Unfortunately, his references to high taxes caught the public attention, as they were bound to do, while his reservations received little attention.

What, in fact, are Canada's chances of lower taxes? An answer of sorts to that question comes from Mr. K. W. Taylor, the deputy minister of finance, who spoke at Montreal with Mr. Harris.

Mr. Taylor is a highly-regarded expert but, of course, cannot settle the Government's tax policies. He can only forecast our probable national expenditures and revenue a few years ahead and, subtracting one from the other, estimate the possibility, though not the certainty of resulting tax cuts. This is Mr. Taylor's forecast:

Provided we encounter no disaster like war, provided we do not expand the social services of the Federal Government, and provided our national production continues to

grow at its recent rate of 3 per cent per year, without any change in the price level, then we can afford to cut taxes during the next five years.

For the fiscal year 1959-60 Mr. Taylor estimates the Government's total expenditures at \$5.2 billions, as against the present figure of \$4.8 billions. Revenues at that time should reach \$5.7 billions. That would leave leeway for tax reductions of \$500 millions or about eleven per cent over-all.

This is the roughest sort of estimate, as Mr. Taylor says, for it takes no account of various imponderables. Mr. Taylor cannot be sure, for example, that defense costs will not rise. On the other hand, they might fall in an improving international climate. He cannot be sure either that the Government will not expand its social services in answer to the public's demand. No economist can be sure that national production will continue to rise steadily at its present rate, or that the price level will not change under inflationary, or deflationary conditions.

The net effect of Mr. Taylor's speech seems to be that there is little chance of substantial tax reductions until the national economy grows and thus yields more revenues from existing rates—and no chance at all if the public compels the Government to increase its services.

That is the prospect five years ahead. Mr. Harris' immediate problem is to close a current deficit in his budget. As he cannot possibly afford to increase taxes, he must surely attempt to reduce expenditures; for he will hardly argue that a deficit is needed, when the economy is operating almost at a peak level, to stimulate business. His first budget cannot be expected to offer the taxpayer more than small fringe benefits. The practical question is whether Mr. Harris can prevent another rise in expenditures and another deficit.

## Back to the Land—by Request

MOSCOW NEWSPAPERS ARE forecasting a determined effort to recruit workers for the farms. The rapidly growing population and disappointing results of the drive, initiated a year ago, to increase livestock and grain production, have forced another determined attack on the problem of providing more food.

Much of the blow will fall on a host of office workers who, according to latest reports, are being weeded out of heavily over-staffed government offices. For the second time, vast new acreages will be opened up in Siberia for farm land. The problem of finding settlers for these lands falls on Nikita Khrushchev, the first secretary of the Communist Party.

It is reported that many volunteers have asserted their willingness to leave the city and tackle an agricultural career. But in accordance with traditional communist tactics, it may be assumed that if these numbers are not sufficient, some form of coercion will be employed. Where the state is all-powerful it can always guarantee full employment to its people. It merely has to tell Ivan Ivanovitch, office worker, that he is now a farm laborer and that Siberia is waiting for him. There will be little choice.

This is a feature of communist "security" that is casually overlooked by those who espouse the communist cause in this country. It would quickly become apparent if such state planners ever had the opportunity to enforce their dreams of totalitarian efficiency here.

## Exercise in Republican Thinking

OPINIONS DIFFER ON THE political results of the McCarthy condemnation vote.

It is held in some quarters that the Republican Party division—22 for 22 against—represents a split that will never again be joined.

Of a more constructive tone is the opinion expressed by such outstanding journalists as Quincy Howe, of the ABC network, and expanded by Joseph C. Harsch of the Christian Science Monitor.

As they see it, the McCarthy incident, culminating in condemnation, may be expected to make Republicans re-examine their own thinking. This, the two journalists agree, could have an effect comparable to that which the Alger Hiss case had on people who called themselves liberals.

From the Hiss case liberals were able to clarify their own positions in relation to extremism of the left. So, say Mr. Howe and Mr. Harsch, a little soul-searching by the Republi-

cans stimulated by the McCarthy affair, could bring into clearer perspective their position in relation to conservatism.

Mr. Harsch argues that Senator McCarthy represents no shade of many desirable traits of conservatism. The senator has, hitherto, enjoyed some sympathy from Republicans who cannot, under any circumstances, be suspected of approving his methods.

Now, it is suggested, is the time for these people to straighten out their thinking, recognizing what even remote association with the McCarthy wing of the party implies.

Should that course be followed, something of value could accrue from the affair McCarthy—a self-purging that would heighten the world's respect for Republicans who, by their vote, dissociated themselves from the techniques of the man from Wisconsin.

## He Is Quite Clean Underneath the Mud

From The Times (London)

THE English believe, rightly or wrongly, that foreigners hardly ever wash. Old-fashioned travel books abounded in such sentences as "Willing but grimy hands seized our portmanteaux" and "his villainous features, to which by all appearances soap and water had long been strangers, relaxed into a crafty smile."

The features of Englishmen occasionally relax into a smile; but it is unlikely to be a crafty one and almost inconceivable that anyone should form the impression that the features had not recently been washed.

Even when, as a result of playing Rugby football or riding to hounds, the Englishman's face is covered all over with mud everyone knows that it is quite clean underneath the mud. The alluvial deposit does indeed slightly alter its appearance, as the setting sun alters the pearance, as the setting sun alters the beams suffuse; but one no more believes

the Englishman to be really dirty than one believes the snow to be really pink.

This is a splendid thing, and a great credit to our race; but it is no good pretending that our mania for washing does not involve a tremendous diversion of effort. One of the reasons why nobody realizes what a considerable proportion of his earthly existence is devoted to having baths, shaving, and brushing his teeth is because nobody talks about these activities.

The bath, it is true, provides opportunities for meditation or for song and is said to stimulate the creative impulse; and some men learn Amharic while they shave, or commit to memory great chunks of poetry. But few of us can be said to be fully sentient while we are brushing our teeth.

In the mirror—if we steel ourselves to look at it—the visage of a maniac confronts us, distorted, lycanthropic; his jaws are foam-flecked. We must, if we

## As Our Readers See It

### CANADIAN FLAG

Will all those who favor the Maple Emblem design for a Canadian National Flag please write today, stating so to the Editors of *Weekend Picture Magazine*, 231 St. James Street West, Montreal.

May I also suggest as an added measure for those whose interest is keen—a letter to your parliamentary representative in the House of Commons, Ottawa. Legislation in democratic countries like Canada is enacted according to the wishes of its people.

HARRY QUINN

### HERALDRY AND NATIONAL FLAG

In reference to flag designs depicted in the Times recently, that of F. Legace does not correspond to your description of it in that it omits a crown.

Anglicans doubtless recommend changing the color of the maple leaf in their design as color must not be imposed on color, i.e., green on red. This is the most elementary rule in heraldry.

Your supplement of Nov. 20 contains a flag design by H. Quinn. He quotes from misleading and incorrect statements by Col. A. F. Duguid before the Ottawa flag committee of 1945-46. No national colors have ever been assigned to Canada. Neither has a national emblem.

Weekend's illustration omits the colors of the flag design.

These facts illustrate ignorance of simple heraldic rules by flag designers and illustrators. Colors are represented by lines and dots.

HUGH SAVAGE.

### GREATEST SHOW ON EARTH

In confirmation of Edith Webster's letter "Royal Income" The London Sunday Graphic, July 1952, writes: "The Royal Family does not cost us even 2½d a year. Crown lands were surrendered by George III in return for an annual income voted by Parliament acting as Trustees. The revenue from these lands totals £1,212,000, so a surplus of £100,000 goes to the Treasury after the Monarchy has been provided for."

And who can compute the value of functions graced by Royalty? From a publicity and commercial standpoint Britain's Royalty is the greatest personality attraction in the world, and probably the nation's most profitable. Remember the Coronation? Then the Royal tour of the Queen and Duke of Edinburgh and the recent visit of the Queen Mother to Canada and the U.S.A. are additional convincing proof. Barnum would say "It's the greatest show on earth."

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### ADVANCE BOOKING

The Canadian Authors Association Book Week in Canada was the first among the recent outbreak of Book Weeks, and differed from the others in that we not only asked that more books be read but we also asked that books be donated to that cause. We proposed to sort and distribute these donations to three very worthy societies of the handicapped.

This is a thank you indeed to your worthy newspaper for publicising the week and the goal, and to those kind Victorians who responded so wholeheartedly.

The committee in charge of above were literally booked under, and the donations, without exception were clean and most presentable.

We were able to present to the three societies a total of just under three hundred books encompassing all fields of writing and bound in hard covers. We are all certain that the recipients will gain many happy hours because of this generosity and we are delighted to have been of some service in this endeavor. Thank you all again and look for us next year!

T. K. WILLIS

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Victoria and Island Branch,  
Member National Executive,  
Canadian Authors Association.

### PRICES AND UNEMPLOYMENT

Thanks to your two editorials re above (Nov. 26 and 27), Mr. H. A. Stevenson of Barclay's Bank, whom you quote in the former, was voicing the sentiments which have been expressed several times in your editorial and correspondence columns. The banks, like the unions, have been flourishing since the Second World War started. Perhaps Barclay's will celebrate the opening of their branch here by restoring the interest on savings accounts to 3 per cent!

The COL spiral was set going by the cost plus policy introduced to break the strike of Eastern manufacturers of war material. This spiral has resulted in unmercifully squeezing the army of unorganized lower income bracket citizens. The ever-tightening squeeze has suited big business because every time a nickel in wages increased costs, say 3 per cent, it clapped on 5 per cent and a further cent or two added every so often for good measure to the consumer. (Ask any housewife on a bus—if you can find a bus!)

Are we to believe now, with these almost daily store sales, that these firms are selling below cost? Don't be silly! But please pity the unfortunate who have to shop on off-sale days.

A reprint of The Stevens Price-Spread Report would be in order.

It's about time "Uno Who" asked for fringe and frill benefits, plus two weeks holidays with pay!

'FREE LANCE'

## Silver Seas



Clover Point

Bill Halkett

## LOOSE ENDS

## The Judge and the Politician

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

THE theory of the democratic process (if you will excuse a few words, even more than usually dull in this space) is that great public decisions shall be made by a collective and not an individual mind.

Yet more and more our governments are trying to dodge that cruel point of decision. Their method is to hand over thorny questions to a royal commission, so respectable and eminent that few will dare to question his verdict.

Hardly a week passes without a new royal commission popping up somewhere in Canada. Some of them are needed, no doubt. There are subjects too complex for the study of Parliament or even of a cabinet. But not many. Too often the motive of governments in appointing royal commissions is not to get facts (already well known) but to avoid trouble and unpopularity for themselves.

A ROYAL commission on forestry, proposed by Mr. Bennett, does not fall into this category. The forests of British Columbia are composed of trees which settled their own problems in their own rough way, for a good many centuries before men arrived. Once the axe was laid to them, however, once they became saleable—and lately they have become our chief source of wealth—they also became an immense and baffling problem of economics.

When it is proposed, therefore, to change the public policy governing their use a royal commission can be useful and sound, especially if it is headed by a gentleman as able as Chief Justice Sloan.

When, however, our judges are constantly called from the bench to perform other duties another grave principle is introduced into society, and it is being introduced wholesale these days.

IN the first place, the courts need their judges, most of whom are fully engaged, far more than forty hours a week, in keeping up with their arrears of business. The litigants are entitled to have the wisdom of the full court, as they have not had for many months at a time when Chief Justice Sloan has been called, no doubt against his will, to other

service. Certainly, except under very extraordinary circumstances, they are entitled to the wisdom of the head of the court.

If judges can be spared, at the expense of the judicial process, to pull the democratic process out of a spot of trouble, the practitioners of politics are delighted to escape their responsibilities. In so doing they not only reflect upon the democratic process, the theory that many heads combined are better than one, but they also cut across the other basic principles of our society.

ONE of those principles, which required centuries of struggle to erect, absolutely separates the three functions of the state—the executive, the legislative and the judicial.

British justice, inherited in this country, depends primarily on the absolute independence of the courts from government. So long as government settled legal questions, so long as the king was himself the chief judge and other judges his tools, there was no chance of even-handed justice. Then justice was only what happened to suit the king or the government.

OUR judges today are so completely independent of anybody that no government can remove or discipline them. They can be removed only by impeachment, which is practically impossible and never happens. They are not the least concerned with the policies of governments; and even though many of them are old-time politicians and have been appointed mainly for their service to a political party, yet when they once reach the bench they generally disregard the convenience of their former friends and, quite rightly, the wishes of the government. Their business, in short, is only to interpret, never to make the law.

But when a judge acts on a royal commission considering a political matter he is usually involved, willy-nilly, in the political process. In many cases, his recommendations become the law. He makes policy, as the courts should never do.

THAT is not the fault of the judge, for he is pitchedforked out of his court and into the cockpit of politics whether he likes it or not. It is the fault of the government which called him to its rescue, as governments from one end of

the country to the other are doing more frequently all the time.

This destruction of the vital line between government and justice is bad enough, but it is not the worst result of such arrangements. The much worse effect is on the courts.

Now the courts of Canada, I take it, are as honest, impartial and able as any in the world. They are, indeed, the foundation of democracy, since all personal freedom largely resides in them.

Above all, they are respected by everybody because they are known to be impartial and absolutely free of any connection with the political process. And their real power resides not in their legal power but in that unique respect properly paid to them by the public.

WHEN a judge is compelled to consider a political question, as distinguished from a question of law; when he must judge not the legality of a certain policy but its wisdom; when, in short, he must perforce enter a public controversy between conflicting groups, interests, and political parties, then inevitably his decision becomes the centre of controversy. He is identified with one policy or another. He satisfies some people and antagonizes others. He becomes for the time being, a politician.

That might not matter much if the public could always distinguish the judge, as a judge, from the judge as a maker of policy. Unfortunately that distinction is not always made and the judge must carry back into his impartial court room the vestiges and sometimes the liabilities of the political process. He is remembered in the public mind as a partisan—not necessarily the partisan of a political party, of course, but as the partisan of a certain policy.

FINALLY, when the law has been constructed on the basis of his recommendation, when he has in fact made the policy, he is then expected to adjudicate in legal cases on his own offspring.

He may do that impartially or he may not. The point is that he will be suspected by many people of being involved in the policy, of being prejudiced by his former commitments, of being not only a judge but a politician.

This is all unfair to the judges and if it goes on long and widely enough it will undermine the whole judicial process in the one place where it matters most—in the public mind.

## FROM CONTEMPT TO THREATS

## Peiping Keeps the Far East Pot Boiling

FAR Eastern problems again took the spotlight this week. Each day came further repercussions arising from two acts by the Chinese Communist Government.

Earlier, Peiping had launched the largest attack yet in the island war off the mainland coast. Nationalist troops had repulsed a heavy raid on Wuchiu, lying 75 miles west of Formosa.

Whether, or not it was preparatory to a full-scale attack on the Nationalist stronghold, it was certainly a testing of just how far the United States is prepared to extend its protection of Formosa. Gen. Chiang Kai-shek's troops reported the assault beaten off. There was every indication that more of them could be expected.

Washington issued opportune reports that the long-planned treaty whereby the United States would guarantee Formosa and several other coastal islands under Nationalist control, was nearing completion and was expected to be signed before the end of the year. On Wednesday, the State Department announced with a note of emergency that it would be signed this week.

### American Prisoners

But of greater significance, and causing much more reaction in the United States, was Peiping's announcement regarding American prisoners. Eleven American airmen and two civilians, the communist radio declared, had been sentenced for espionage to terms ranging up to life imprisonment.

Details of the charges were not revealed and whereabouts of the prisoners remained a mystery. But these were men who should have been exchanged with other prisoners at the termination of the Korea fighting, Washington said. Their names had been submitted earlier and Chinese authorities had disclaimed all knowledge of them. It was a callous disregard of the Geneva convention, a trampling of human rights.

he declared, should blockade the Chinese coast.



JOHN FOSTER DULLES

The U.S. Government issued an immediate repudiation of the charges against its thirteen nationals and lodged a formal protest against their detention. This was rejected by Peiping. By Monday there was open speculation as to what forceful action the United States might take.

But the following day calmer counsel prevailed. State Secretary Dulles denounced the Chinese action as "force, intimidation and fraud," but he made it plain that the U.S. would undertake no blockade of Red China.

"We cannot allow ourselves," he said, "to be provoked into action which would be a violation of our international obligations and which would impair the alliance of free nations."

A blockade, of course, would quickly run into complications with Britain, Japan and other friendly countries which would still wish to trade with China. Apart from this, with China's back door open to Russia, the value of blockade would be open to question.

But even as a gesture, it could be construed as an act of war—a point which Dulles emphasized. The United States, the Secretary reminded his hearers, was

committed by the United Nations charter to settle disputes by peaceful means. This, however, would not prevent Washington from "reacting vigorously."

President Eisenhower added a word of support for his minister's stand. Blockade would amount to "war action." Some other form of retaliation would be sought. A possible recession from this firm stand was seen Wednesday when Mr. Dulles enlarged on the theme, and said that the United States would "first exhaust peaceful means of sustaining its rights." This was interpreted as meaning that blockade was still an extreme possibility. On Thursday President Eisenhower said he would not resort to such action without applying to Congress.

### Flaunts Contempt

Meanwhile Red China showed no signs of a change in its stand. Indeed, Peiping appeared ready to seek further opportunities to flaunt its contempt of the democracies. A midweek Moscow broadcast of a speech by the Chinese ambassador declared that China's millions stand shoulder to shoulder with the Soviet and "are not afraid of war." Western powers, he said, would "suffer a fate worse than Hitler's" if they tried to fight the Communist bloc.

As the week ended tension was still building. From East Berlin came word that Red China has undertaken to aid Russia if the Soviet is attacked in Europe—a direct reply to the West's efforts to form a European defensive grouping. And on Saturday Peiping radio added further fuel to the fire with a reiteration of Red China's determination to "liberate" Formosa despite United States action on Wednesday in signing a mutual aid pact with Chiang Kai-shek.

There appeared to be a deliberate communist attempt to keep United States attention centred in the Far East, as well as an organized effort to intimidate European countries that are now preparing to ratify the pact that will rearm West Germany for the democracies.—B. A. T.



## Television Tension

LONDON—It is the ambition of every up and coming person in show business here to get onto What's My Line? the English version of the U.S. TV panel game. It goes out on Sunday evenings and has the biggest viewing audience of any regular TV program.

It is by far the most talked about 40 minutes in the entertainment world and as such it is the best "shop window" any budding artist can have. For instance, What's My Line helped Barbara Kelly. She got her chance on the panel when Elizabeth Allen quit, so that she could have her Sunday evenings at home.

Well, the other day my phone rang and it was the producer of What's My Line? Would I like to audition for a place on the panel? I said sure, why not. Reason behind the request, apparently, was that I have been appearing on various radio quizzes and he thought I might have TV possibilities.

So along I went and we did a dry run before the cameras, and the microphones, using the challenges who were to appear on the program itself when it went out later in the evening. Our version was on a closed circuit which, as you probably know, is TV's technical term for a show being seen on sets within the studio and not going out to the public.

What interested me most was getting a close-up of what a terrible nervous tension television induces in the performer. It seems a dozen times worse than old-fashioned stage fright. Just why, I don't know. Perhaps it

is that television has something of unreality about it. On the stage you can overcome your nerves by striking up a bond between yourself and a friendly audience. But on television you always have the uncertainty of not knowing how you're doing in the eyes of the unseen audience.

One of Britain's most famous TV artists tries to overcome his nerves with a drink beforehand to steady himself. Trouble with alcohol, though, is that it plays tricks on you. You have one drink before a telecast and you do fine. Next time you say to yourself you'll have two drinks and you'll do twice as well. Then it's three drinks and you feel you'll be really terrific. Of course you wind up drunk, which is that particular gentleman's problem.

When Noel Langley, the well-known author, appeared on What's My Line? he was in such a state of nerves that he took beforehand some of that drug that brings on a feeling of well-being. On the program he had such a feeling of well-being that he had a sleep-walker's nonchalant indifference to what was going on in the studio.

Even those who appear regularly before the TV cameras confess to the symptoms of television nerves, which can include a tenseness of the body which prevents you using your limbs properly, a feeling that you are going to faint, a compulsion to twitch at your collar or keep repeating some other mannerism, an eerie feeling that voices nearby are far away and your surroundings are out of focus. They go on having some or all of these reactions whenever they do a show, yet they keep going, getting through each broadcast somehow. Now and then they do collapse in the studio, as did new TV star Bob Monkhouse the other evening.

## YOUR HEALTH

By DR. WALTER C. ALVAREZ

## Arthritis Swindled

Dr. Alvarez is Emeritus Consultant in Medicine, Mayo Clinic and Emeritus Professor of Medicine, Mayo Foundation.

I keep hearing of people who, by the hundreds, go to sit all day in the tunnel of a uranium mine, supposedly to cure their arthritis. I understand, also, that some ingenious persons recently bought some uranium ore and made a house of it so that people could sit there.

There are always plenty of people who will try anything, no matter how foolish. If they were to ask an expert on arthritis he would tell them that there is no sense at all in such exposure to rays.

The United States government has frowned on the thing; the health officers have gone after some persons because they did have a uranium mine and the radiation could conceivably do people harm. Other persons, they got after because the mine they were using didn't have any uranium in it, and hence the scheme was only a swindle.

I can remember that many years ago, when everyone was interested in radium, some ingenious person made a jug into which was incorporated some radioactive material. People bought the jug for a big price, they put water in it, and after the water was somewhat radioactive, they drank the stuff.

The water was supposed to cure arthritis and all sorts of diseases. The government frowned on this because, if the drinkers of the water could get much atomic emanation into their body they could become seriously ill.

Few people know that everyone who works around a powerful source of atomic rays carries attached to his coat a little meter designed to warn him if he is getting too big a dose of radiation. Such extra radiation does him no good, and it can, after many

years, lead to his death from leukemia. Many old X-ray men die of leukemia.

## QUESTIONS ABOUT ARTHRITIS

People ask me for a diet for arthritis and I have to tell them I do not know of any. Many want to know about using sulphur. Actually, in the last 50 years or so, the idea of using sulphur for arthritis has kept popping up again and again, but always it has soon died down, showing that the stuff was of no value.

A man asks, how about turpentine? That is another old remedy without any value. Many arthritis ask me if they should move to a dry climate, and the answer is that it might help, but no one can prophesy what actually will happen.

No one should give up his job and move just on the chance that he or his wife will get well. If possible, the invalid might spend a summer in a dry place to see if he or she gets any improvement that looks as if it might be permanent. In that case the wage earner can start wondering if he can afford to move, and if he can pick up a job in the new location.

Some arthritis ask if they should have all their teeth removed, and my answer is to get the advice of their dentist. For one miracle of healing after extraction of dead teeth, I have seen a few hundred disappointments. Hence it is that I am not enthusiastic about the extracting of teeth. I advise it only when there are many heavily infected ones in the mouth, or when the patient is fairly young, and has a certain type of infectious arthritis. Removal of teeth rarely affects the painful deforming type of arthritis, and it rarely helps old people.

Some persons ask, is there any entirely satisfactory medicinal cure for arthritis and I must answer that there isn't. Cortisone helps tide many persons over when they have a flare-up in that painful and deforming form of the disease, rheumatoid arthritis.

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS

**CITY'S WEATHER RECORD**  
Sunshine, 1954 — 1,914.6 hours  
Last year — 1,902.8 hours  
Precip. to date — 25.86 inches  
Last year — 24.92 inches

**PUBLIC WEATHER OFFICE**  
9 A.M. FORECASTS  
Valid until midnight Sunday.

**VICTORIA**—Cloudy today and Sunday. Breezy this afternoon and evening. A few showers Sunday morning. Cooler Sunday. Low-high Sunday, 45 and 40.

**WEST COAST**—Clear, warming in effect. Rain today. Cloudy with showers of mixed rain and snow Sunday. Cooler Sunday. Southern gales 35 northern sector (land) becoming westerly 30. Windy southeast 20 southern sector (land) this morning, increasing to 30 this afternoon and veering to westerly 20 tonight. Low-high Sunday at Estevan Point, 25 and 40.

**VANCOUVER**—Strife of clouds. Cloudy today and Sunday. Rain this afternoon and evening. A few showers Sunday, occasionally mixed with snow in higher levels. Cooler Sunday. Low-high at Vancouver, 35 and 40. Nanaimo, 32 and 40.

**TEMPERATURES**  
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VICTORIA ONE YEAR AGO 47 42  
VICTORIA ACROSS CANADA 30 23  
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Montreal 35 38  
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OPENED UNKNOWN COUNTRY

# Pioneer Charles Camsell Tells Story of Canada's Northland

**SONS OF THE NORTH**, by Charles Camsell. Ryerson Press, Toronto, 244 pages, \$3.

Canada's vast Northwest and Charles Camsell—one of its most famous sons—grew up together.

Now, Mr. Camsell, retired deputy minister of the former federal mines and resources department, has written simply but movingly of his early years in "Sons of the North."

**GUIDED DEVELOPMENT**

The lure of the North is the thread which runs through the narrative, spanning the years between his birth in 1876 at Fort Liard, N.W.T., one of 11 children of a Hudson's Bay Company factor, until 1920 when he was appointed deputy mines minister. His connection with the North was never severed, however, and as commissioner of the Northwest Terri-

tories he guided development there in later years.

The tale of his early life is set against the background of a country in which the only white men were fur traders and the occasional missionary, and where almost every expedition young Camsell made—and he made many—opened up unknown country.

**WARMTH AND COLOR**

Close brushes with death, mixed with more routine day-to-day occurrences, give the narrative warmth and color.

Camsell and three others join the Klondike gold rush in 1897-98, forcing their way up the Liard river towards the Yukon only to meet near-starvation miles short of his goal. Years later he and a companion, unarmed, met a polar bear on the tundra northeast of Great Bear Lake and frightened it off with their screams.

Then he tells the story of an Indian named Friday, accused of shooting his wife and of cannibalism during one winter of starvation. The man was kept five years at Mounted Police headquarters in Regina.

## 80-Year-Old Service Still Master Bard

**CAROLS OF AN OLD CODGER** by Robert Service, McClelland & Stewart Ltd., Toronto, 190 pages, \$3.

When he reached 80 in the spring of this year, Robert Service published an anniversary book of verses. Years before that—when he was once asked to speak at a Sourdoughs' reunion—the bard of the Yukon sent a polite refusal.

It was through with the spotlight and sought nothing but peaceful retirement, he said.

It must have been the way he felt at the moment for "Carols of an Old Codger," just published, is the second book this year by the famous novelist and poet who has enraptured his enormous following for half a century.

**MATURE PHILOSOPHY**

"Carols of an Old Codger" is an amazing collection of verse. It proves that the years have left Service with his talents undiminished. There is more philosophy—philosophy of an aged man who has lived a full life; there is more sentiment although there was never a lack of sentiment in his earlier books.

As in his book published in the spring his verses are classified: Rhymes for Ripeness, Rhymes for Ribaldry, Rhymes for Reality, Rhymes for Rusticity, Rhymes for Rue, Rhymes for Reverence, Rhymes for Rest.

The robust humor of Service's earlier days are recalled by his Rhymes for Reality and Rhymes for Ribaldry. Some of them are in his narrative style of old.

The chapters, Rhymes for Ripeness and Rhymes for Rest are plainly the meditations of Service as he passes his four score years of life. They are tragic, humorous, reminiscent or thoughtful according to the variety of characters entering upon the eventful life he portrays.

If you are among the millions who like the Kipling Service type of poetry you will find "Carols of an Old Codger" with enthusiasm and be amazed to find Service at his writing best at 80 years of age.—T.M.

## REVIEWS IN BRIEF

**GOLF AND BE DAMNED**, by Lawrence Larier, Prentice Hall Inc., 128 pages, \$2.95.

Here is something unique—a practical golf book that does not tell you to keep your head down and your left arm straight.

Rather, Mr. Larier, a humorist-critic, is more concerned that you keep your head up and your eyes on the girl in the next foursome whose hip motion is not that endorsed by Sammy Snead. The only arm motion prescribed here is that used in the clubhouse bar.

Larier pens a cutting burlesque on the gallery of "types" to be found in any clubhouse. He lampoons the technicalities of the game and generally slashes through the game and its followers with a finely-honed pen, letting the divots fall where they may.

**DESTINATION UNKNOWN** by Agatha Christie, Collins, Toronto, 192 pages, \$2.50.

Agatha Christie, one of the most prolific crime story writers of the day, long ago reached the peak where her name takes top billing and the title comes second.

It is sufficient for her thousands of fans to know she has written another book. "Destination Unknown" is a Crime Club choice, an exciting story in an authentic Moroccan setting. That is enough to say about any mystery story without spoiling the reader's interest, except to add that it has the real Christie touch.

**HAVE FUN WITH YOUR CHILDREN**, by Miss Frances, Prentice-Hall Inc., New York.

Television magazines are pretty nearly unanimous in placing the programs of "Miss Frances"—Frances R. Horwich of the Ding Dong School—way up on the list in family appeal. She has the happy faculty of presenting entertainment for children which other members of the family are quite ready to share with them. This gift is carried into her book which makes a first-class present for her young TV followers and an excellent one for family reading.

**BLACK FALCON** by Olive Knox, Ryerson Press, Toronto, 191 pages, \$3.00.

With the sources of information to authenticate her story, Olive Knox tells the story of an eight-year-old lad living on an Ohio farm who was kidnapped by Indians.

As Black Falcon he became the son of a woman chief of the Ottawa and was the first white boy to live on the prairies of Manitoba. For young readers she tells about 20 exciting years of his life.

**SUNDAY, 3 P.M. MONDAY, 8.30 P.M.**

## ROYAL VICTORIA SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

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## BOOK TALK

By JAMES SCOTT



In his latest collection of, as they say, "hitherto unpublished" short stories, "Thirty Years," Mr. John Marquand not only brings together a more than somewhat motley collection of the short pieces he has written over the years, but essays to criticize some of them and to lay down some analytical comments on short-story writing problems.

This is a chancy sort of business at best, and I am not at all sure that it is safe even for senior citizens of the book world like Somerset Maugham or John Marquand. I mention Mr. Maugham because he, like Marquand, despite a good deal of pontificating about what the

### Artistic Integrity

short story is, has been driven back to the ill-concealed apology that, no matter what, all he was really trying to do was to be entertaining. The very last line of Mr. Marquand's forward echoes this same sentiment: "They were intended primarily to entertain, and I hope they still achieve this purpose."

That is all well enough, but it has little to do with the artistic integrity of any piece of written work. There are vulgar things which are entertaining and there are beautifully artistic things which are entertaining. The motive, in this case, hardly seems to have much connection with the aesthetic result. Whenever I hear an author protesting that all he wanted to do was amuse people, I at once suspect that he feels that that is just about all he can do.

### Always Same Atmosphere

One of the collections read like "Golden Lads" or "Good Morning, Major," generate the same aroma as the last stories he has written—"Sun, Sea and Sand," "King of the Sea" and "Lunch at Honolulu."

The thing which struck me about both these volumes was that, no matter what yarn the writer was spinning, there was a definite mood and atmosphere generated which always remained the same. For Mr. Marquand this mood can be described as pallid. He is mildly ironical, mildly snobbish, mildly humorous, mildly world-weary. Always he is very, very civilized, but sometimes you can't help but wonder if his heart is really in it, and the interesting thing is that, judging by these stories, Mr. Marquand was always thus, from the first years of his writing career right up to the present. Early stories

### Hampers Moving Writing

On the level of their god-entertainment—however, these men are remarkably successful. For my own taste, I prefer Canada's Radcliff to the U.S.A.'s Marquand. Both come from the East Coast, and both are well steeped in the Puritan tradition. In Radcliff it comes out less blasé and more vigorous (if more pious) but it has less literary polish. One feels that Radcliff is much closer to the Puritan ideal of "the plain style" in writing but now, as in the seventeenth century, this tends to take away too much of the emotional content necessary to moving writing.

## Appealing Book on Trials Of Cook Islands Doctor

**DOCTOR TO THE ISLANDS**, by Tom and Lydia Davis, Little, Brown & Co., Toronto; \$5.

This appealing story by Tom Davis, a doctor of mixed Welsh and Polynesian ancestry, and his New Zealand wife, Lydia, is well worth reading and will hold interest to the end.

The joint authors give an amusing account of their unconventional marriage and the struggles which followed, ending in the appointment of the doctor to the post of medical officer to the Cook Islands.

The same steamer which landed them at Rarotonga took away the doctor whom Tom was replacing and the latter had to start work at the hospital right away. The place was in a terrible state of filth and disorder to which the matron gave no heed.

The new medical officer found one of his chief duties consisted of signing and handing out

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### "C-I-L Singing Stars" Contestants—Sunday

Diane Oxner, soprano, of Lunenburg, N.S., and Ronald Park, baritone of Vancouver, will be the contestants on the "C-I-L Singing Stars of Tomorrow" broadcast on Sunday, Dec. 5. Featuring Greg Clark.

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## VICTORIA'S RELATIONS

# Just Ordinary People Book on Royalty Says

**QUEEN VICTORIA'S RELATIONS** by Muriel Buchanan, British Book Service of Canada, Toronto, 243 pages, \$3.75.

Since Miss Buchanan is the daughter of an eminent British diplomat who was ambassador to Russia at the time of the revolution, the 10 portraits she presents in "Queen Victoria's Relations" must be accepted as accurate.

Her father's career took him to most of the royal courts of Europe in the period of the last two generations and, as his daughter, she was an accepted member of court circles so that she is able to portray life at those courts from intimate knowledge.

### HISTORICAL VALUE

Her account of personalities and their way of life, a style now gone probably for ever, has a historical value due to the author's powers of detailed observation.

One particularly interesting portrait is that of Kaiser Wilhelm in his youthful days to his early "manhood—an inexperienced, conceited young man who failed to see that he was being used as a tool against his father but thought he had been singled out for autocratic power because of his own knowledge and intelligence.

One of the most tragic portraits drawn by the author relates the story of Princess Alice of Greece, mother of Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh.

The book depicts the human side of royal personages and families, exposes their weaknesses and foibles and inevitably convinces the reader that, but for the circumstances of birth, they are very ordinary people.

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## AUDREY PAYS

## Compliment to CBC for Help Given to Canadian Musicians

By AUDREY S.T.D. JOHNSON

After reading certain comments made by the director of our symphony orchestra last week, I feel more than ever like calling down blessings on the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation.

Not only do they flatter the tastes of the Canadian public with a fairly consistent flow of good music and drama, rising occasionally to almost sublime levels, but, I am reminded, they also contribute a pretty comfortable livelihood for a number of Canadian musicians.

At least, Canadian musicians in the proximity of CBC major network stations, are able to round out their earnings from teaching and performing with useful broadcasting fees.

Yes, the non-commercial CBC does pretty well by some of our professional musicians. But outside the comparative handful of musicians in such cities as Toronto and Vancouver, a great deal of the music making in Canada is done on a less than satisfactory semi-professional basis.

Too many orchestras in Canada are forced to function on a minimum number of rehearsals, their personnel giving about 10 per cent of their 40-hour-work week to this orchestra, there being no funds available to meet the expense of fuller activity.

So semi-professional (or semi-amateur) a great deal of our musical life remains, though in actual quality I should think the best of it ranks among the best to be found anywhere. And that, I believe, was the implication behind Mr. Larinde's remarks and reported in the Ottawa press, and quoted in this column.

As for the "generalized irrelevancy" with which I concluded, possibly I relied too much on readers connecting my remarks with what has been said here before—and often—re the Massey report, lack of patriotism in the CNE directors and indifference of certain city councils whose men of business can see no virtue in anything classified in their minds as "arty"—who would unhesitatingly dribble away millions on arenas and other sport palaces but grudge a single penny for an adequate auditorium.

Only a fool would fail to understand that a nation's well-being is built on commerce and that sport is essential and an integral part of man's nature. And it would be rank ingratitude to ignore such subsidizing as say, Canada Packers extends to the Toronto Symphony Orchestra.

Nevertheless there is a tendency in this country, as yet new and distrustful of such un-bread-and-butterish terms as "culture," to lean altogether too heavily in the one direction. The consequence is that most cities in Canada suffer for lack of adequate auditoriums and other facilities that would make the life of the professional musician less hazardous.

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when I hear that so many Canadians are holding leading chairs in American orchestras and certainly regard it as a matter for congratulation so long as it does not represent a major leakage of talent, which at one time was the case.

But as I said at the beginning of this article, if the leak has been stopped, CBC has had a lot to do with applying the healing patch.



Audrey



El Greco—St. Francis in Meditation—National Gallery, Ottawa.

## ART in REVIEW

By COLIN GRAHAM



Since the war, important acquisitions of old master paintings by our National Gallery in Ottawa have drawn the public's attention to the fact that our federal art museum is in the process of developing a very respectable permanent collection. Equally well known, at least to the gallery's visitors, is the fact that the art of our country has produced.

If, in fact, the gallery were to burn down tomorrow we would lose most of the key works achieved in our brief but by no means negligible artistic history.

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## Top Treatment Helped Hepburn Stay on Top

By RON BURTON

Audrey Hepburn felt a lot like the boy who knocked a tin can off a fence on the first throw and wondered if he shouldn't quit while ahead.

Only in Miss Hepburn's case, she was committed to trying again.

The actress came to Hollywood in triumph after becoming a star overnight in her first American-made film, "Roman Holiday." And it didn't take her long to discover that some in Hollywood were saying:

"Yes, Audrey Hepburn was great in her first picture. But can she deliver again? What if it was just a fluke? Maybe she's a one-picture girl."

The 24-year-old actress found that Hollywood is no different from any other places in that there are persons who are more anxious to tear one down than build one up.

But she knows that at least one important group wants to build her up—her studio.

### GIVEN EVERY BREAK

"When Paramount signed me to a contract and put me in William Wyler's production of 'Roman Holiday' opposite Gregory Peck, I was given every break I could have had," she said. "Peck is a top star. Wyler is a top producer-director. Everyone was overly kind, and so with all that help it's no wonder I turned out OK in the picture."

"When it was released, the press said nice things about me—the sort of things which can spoil one. Then, rather than have me disappear on loan-out or put me in something insignificant, Paramount gambled again by starring me in 'Sabrina.'"

"And the same fine pattern. A top director—Billy Wilder. And top stars—Humphrey Bogart and William Holden."

Miss Hepburn feels "Sabrina"



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is a challenge for her and thus an opportunity for her to prove that she didn't just "get lucky" in "Roman Holiday."

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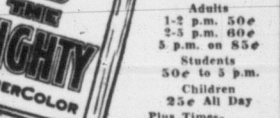
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## Convicts Take Over Langham Court

Popular Langham Court Theatre, home of Victoria Theatre Guild, will be in the hands of three convicts for a week, commencing tonight. The three are escapees from a tropical penal colony and quaintly turn out to be "My Three Angels" in the Christmas fantasy-comedy of that name which opens tonight for a week's run. Scene from the play shows Helen Smith in a starring role, with convict John Winther, young Jennifer Williams and convict Bruce Banyard. Lesley Allan directs.

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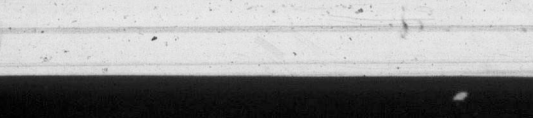
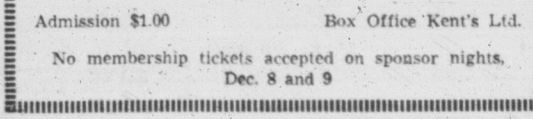
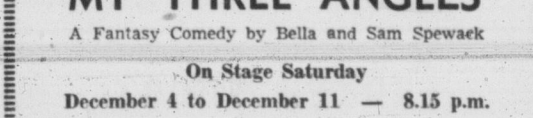
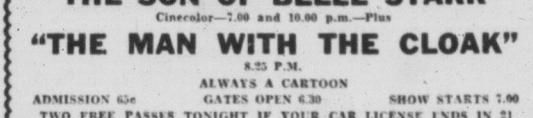
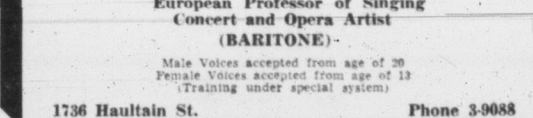
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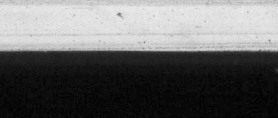
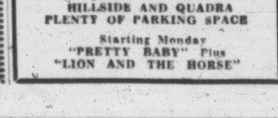
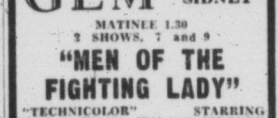
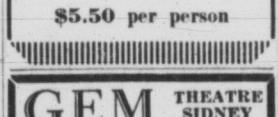
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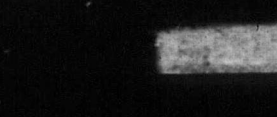
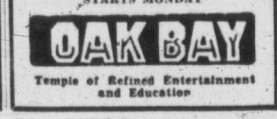
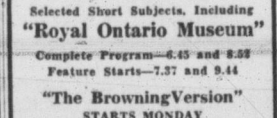
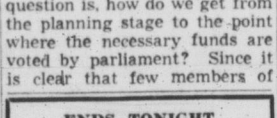
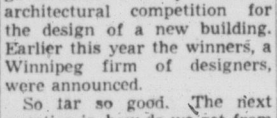
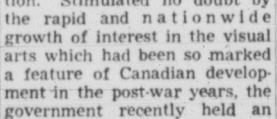
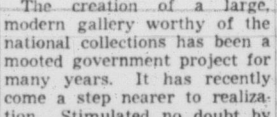
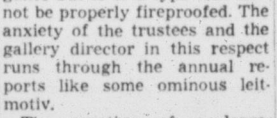
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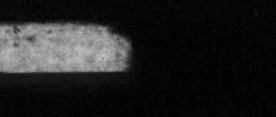
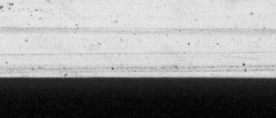
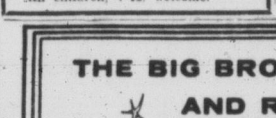
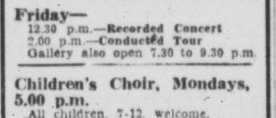
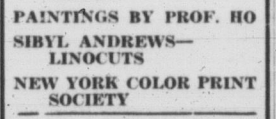
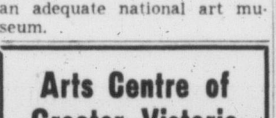
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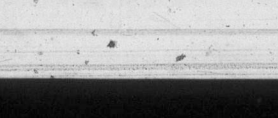
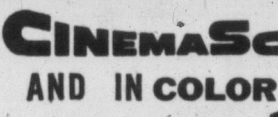
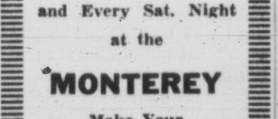
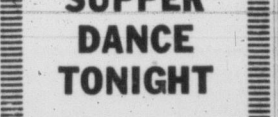
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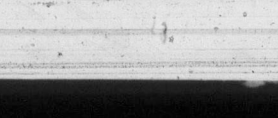
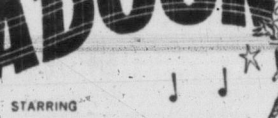
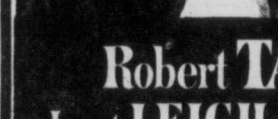
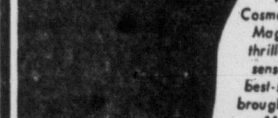
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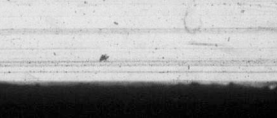
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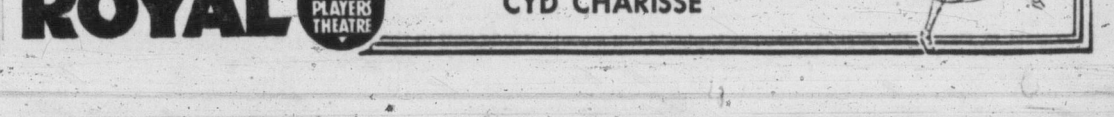
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# Saturday Night's the Loneliest Night of the Week for Wally's Spurned Gals



Busy Saturday? No ... Dance? Love to ...

When once their Saturday nights were taken up with a busy basketball schedule, members of the Vic-Van Isle Kins senior women's hoop squad now have plenty of idle week-end hours. As the only senior women's



No Training Program Here ...

squad on the Island and cold-shouldered by mainland clubs, Kins are unable to find any club in B.C. to play against. While their basketball sneakers accumulate cob-webs in the closet, the gals amuse themselves in



Red Jack, Black Ten ...

various ways on what used to be game nights. At left, Luscious Pat Mason organizes her busy social life. Next to her, scoring star Shirley Lewis breaks training with candy and fiction, while Pat Metcalfe pulls



A Stitch in (Spare) Time ...

a fast shuffle at the solitaire table. Anticipating a cold winter, Flo Pickering, right, knits a pair of chili-proof ear muffs. (Times Photos by Irving Strickland.)

## IT'S MY VIEW

By BILL WALKER, Sports Editor

Cleaning out the bottom drawer: And although it's a little out of date, admittedly, the item struck our fancy.

It concerns the numerous gadgets that inventors have come up with since the game of baseball itself was invented. All have been designed primarily to improve the game. Some have—like the rabbit ball, the fatter bat, the reinforced skull cap to save the batter's skull; padded barriers in the outfield, and gloves that can scoop up anything, even the family wash.

But some of the inventors, and they say it's peculiar to the trade, have come up with a few silly-nilly ideas that looked good on paper, but that's all.

There was the fellow, for example, who was a regular fust-budget over the amount of time umpires took during a game to sweep off the plate. And so he invented an automatic dust-blower-offer. The gimmick was a blower under home plate which, at the touch of a switch, would do the job. The big experiment took place at some whistle stop in Kansas. The result—a blinded umpire, and a partially blinded batter.

Another little "umpire-helper," designed to lighten the burden of the official, consisted of the plate being covered with a roll of clean white paper, like the tear-off lavatory towel. Simple? It sure was. When the top sheet got dirty all the umpire had to do was rip it off. They were still using the pocket whisk in the last World Series.

## Getting Some Light on the Subject

Somebody may yet come up with an electronic eye to call the balls and strikes or, as one fellow suggested, when he tried to figure out a similar device, "to reduce the margin of error for umpires." But until they do, here's what some umpires had to put up with in the initial experiment along these lines.

There was a motor, a light bulb and an electric fan in the unit—all buried under home plate. Two slots were cut in the plate and under these was a lens through which light from the bulb was to be projected. The umpire, if in doubt, would peer down the slots and if he saw a light reflecting back at him, he would know for sure it was a strike, or at least that the ball had crossed the plate. The motor? That was to keep dust from collecting on the lens. Somebody broke the lens one day. The result? Another blinded umpire!

An ex-catcher, no doubt wishing to protect the hands of those in his trade, came up with an automatic receiver one time. This device was, in the main, a "box" which "caught" the ball. It was made of wood and the catcher harnessed it to his middle from chin to waist. Wire doors were hooked to the side of the box. They swung inward. The catcher's duties consisted of getting the ball to hit the trap doors. The ball would open the doors and eventually drop through a pipe attached to the bottom of the box. The catcher then would reach through a hole in the box and retrieve the ball. This was tried out, too. But the batter didn't co-operate. He hit a foul ball and the catcher found himself flat on his back, wearing all the equipment and unable to play the ball.

## Whistle-Tootin' Cushions, Too

Base umpires had their "helpers" too on close plays. One particular gadget consisted of a whistle inside the bag that "tooted" when a player's foot hit the sack. However, that didn't work as it couldn't distinguish between feet, and with a first baseman standing on the bag while holding a runner on, there was a continual din. The result? A deafened umpire (in time).

One inquisitive and enterprising fellow, obviously annoyed at not being able to hear the sum and substance of the remarks at home plate, had the answer. He designed a microphone that was supposed to pop up at home plate and allow the customers in on the rhu-barb.

Silly? Maybe. But you can't blame a fellow for trying.

## Baseball Trade Rumors Put Harshman on Block

NEW YORK (UP)—Several big baseball trades that were cooked up in Houston and kept on the fire today were slated to be completed during the major league meetings which open here Monday.

"For a change, a few club officials came right out and said what they wanted."

The Dodgers were said to be on the verge of closing a deal with Cincinnati that will bring them either Wally Post or Bob Borkowski, both right-handed hitting outfielders. The Redlegs, on the other hand, would

## Kiner a Proud Papa

PALM SPRINGS, Calif. (UP)—Ralph Kiner, the Cleveland Indians' recent home-run hitting acquisition from the National League, today was the father of a healthy, eight-pound, five-ounce boy—his second son. Kiner's wife, former tennis star Nancy Chaffey, gave birth to the child in Desert Hospital Friday.



**THE RECIPIENT OF MORE REJECTION SLIPS** than a hack writer, coach Wally Yeamans of the Vic-Van Isle Kins women's basketball squad wonders just what you have to do to play basketball in these parts. Coach Wally has written letter after letter to Vancouver clubs and Vancouver

papers trying to arrange games. But the mainland clubs, perhaps remembering when Kins thumped Canadian champion Eilers last year, are afflicted with deaf ears to the Victoria pleas. Holding some of his futile correspondence, Wally appears to be thinking, "Anyone for tennis?"

## ALL OVER AGAIN

### Rosewall Blasts Seixas

MELBOURNE (AP)—Ken Rosewall won the Victorian tennis championship Saturday, defeating U.S. champion Vic Seixas in four sets, 6-1, 4-6, 6-1, 7-5.

Rosewall's victory was his eighth over Seixas and at times the American champion played as if he knew he was up against a jinx. His game, except in the second and final sets, was far below that he showed in defeating Australia's Lew Hoad to gain the finals.

Rosewall broke Seixas' service four times in the first set and the only game the American won was through a service break.

Seixas rallied to capture the second set but Rosewall took command again in the third. Rosewall rallied to take the fourth and final set after Seixas ran up 3-0 and 5-3 leads.

## Clippers Hard Hit; Hodgson Sidelined

If ever the three city teams in the Vancouver Island Amateur Hockey League had a glorious chance to overtake the high-flying Nanaimo Clippers, it is now.

Bowling along in first place with a lousy .714 percentage, Clippers were dealt a cruel blow when their classy little goal-tender, Spanky Hodgson, was injured Thursday night.

Hodgson was struck in the face by a puck at a practice Thursday night and will not be able to play until he undergoes an operation on a fractured cheekbone. It is believed he will be out for five or six weeks. It is not known who will replace him.

The second-place Navy club, although still far behind Nanaimo, will get the first chance to cash in on Nanaimo's misfortune.

The sailors play at Nanaimo tonight and then take on Clippers here Monday night in the feature game of a double-header at Memorial Arena.

In the first game of Monday's bill, last-place Drake Hotel will attempt to stop their down-hill flight at the expense of C & C Taxi. First game starts at 7:30.

## Sports Menu

**TONIGHT**  
DOG SHOW: Garden, Vancouver Island Dog-Owners' Association last session this year.

**BASKETBALL**  
7:30, Oak Bay Junior High School, Pelegos vs. HMCS Naden, exhibition game.  
8:30, Oak Bay Junior High School, Victoria College vs. HMCS Ventura, exhibition game.  
9:30, Oak Bay Junior High School, Normal School vs. Royal Road, exhibition game.

**SOCCER**  
2:00, Borden Park, Punjab United vs. Dutch Wanderers, second division.  
2:30, Borden Park, Butler Bros vs. Tillamook, second division.  
2:30, Central Park, Canadian Scottish vs. Wood Motors, second division.  
2:30, Borden Hill Park, Combines vs. Duncan Native Sons, second division.  
2:30, Borden Hill Park, Heaters vs. Fenelon, first division exhibition game.

**MINOR SOCCER**  
1:00, Windsor Park, ANAF Veterans vs. Regina, second division.  
2:30, Windsor Park, 31st B.C. Coast Regiment, Cadets vs. Mic Macs, first division.  
**GOLF**  
12:30, Colwood Golf Club, Bob Morrison and Frank Strouse vs. Fred Chum and Bob Woods, city senior button match.

## WORSLEY ON SPOT WHILE BOWER AWAITS VERDICT

### Gump Bids for Old Job Tonight

(By The Canadian Press)

Goal-tender Gump Worsley tries out his chipped ankle in the National Hockey League tonight. It could send Johnny Bower back to the minors.

Worsley returns to the New York nets when Rangers meet the Bruins in one of two, league games tonight after the injured right ankle forced him to the bench a couple of weeks ago. Bower, Gump's replacement, will be watching from the stands.

Ranger coach Muzz Patrick says he will send Worsley against the fifth-place Bruins to see whether the injury has healed properly and how he stands up against opposing snipers. Patrick didn't say, but it is believed Bower will serve as insurance against further injury to Worsley besides being available as trade bait in the future.

The battle for the netminding job has been going

on since last season. Worsley was in the New York nets in the 1952-53 campaign and won the rookie-of-the-year award with his spectacular play.

Bower ended up in the cage last year, while Gump was with the farmhand Vancouver Canucks of the Western Hockey League. Worsley got the nod at the start of this season and Bower went to Canucks. Then came the chipped ankle and Bower was rushed back.

It will be a big test for Worsley as he tries to help the fourth-place Rangers gain their ninth victory in 24 games. In the only other engagement tonight, Detroit Red Wings and the Maple Leafs clash at Toronto in a fight for second place.

Sunday night Leafs are at Boston, Montreal Canadiens at New York and Chicago Black Hawks at Detroit.

## Royals Handiest Clutch Men Here

### Cougars in Narrow Loss; Visit Westminster Tonight

New Westminster 3, Victoria 2

By BILL WALKER

In sharp contrast to Wednesday night—that's when the Cougars howled—New Westminster Royals Friday night took the Victorians to task in Western League hockey.

And they did it at Memorial Arena, scene of their horrendous 9-2 defeat earlier in the week.

It could be said the heavy schedule of the past two weeks—seven games in 11 days—finally caught up with the Cougars, or it could be argued that the Royals were the sharper of the two clubs, outplayed as they were.

Regardless, the Royals, when they got their chances, were alert enough to capitalize on them. And this approach spelled the difference between vic-

tory and defeat, a 3-2 setback for the Cougars.

And it was two costly mistakes by the Cougars which accounted for the facsimile of form reversal evidenced by the contrary in scores in the week's two games.

The Cougars were their hell-for-leather selves, a policy that had paid off of late; but the Royals were that bit quicker in defensive measures and therein lies the tale of the Cougars' lost chance to draw even with the Royals whom they meet again tonight in Westminster.

## Luke Wandered, Eddie Walked In

It was a scoreless first period with little to choose between the combatants. If any, a slight edge should go to the Cougars. Mike Keating scored a goal which was disallowed because Gene Achymichuk was in the crease. There is no doubt as to the call. It was correct.

Mark Marquess had a grand chance while, at the other end, Marcel Pelletier had to be sharp on tries by Gordon Sinclair and Pete Zarrie.

Cougars pressed their advantage to the hilt in the second frame, goalie Luke Dechene making 20 stops. The only time he was beaten was when he tried to play defense and was found wandering near the blue line with the Cougars in control. Dechene arrived back in his citadel in time to see Ed Dorohoy slap the puck in the net at 9:01. This was after Andy Heberton had rifled a

drive off the post with Dechene well beaten.

Dorohoy's goal looked like money in the bank for a time, until Peter Durham got a penalty for up-ending Bobby Love. Then the Royals struck, and struck fast, hard, and in the long run, to the detriment of the Cougars.

Gordon Fashoway slapped a short drive past Pelletier at 13:06 to knot the count, and before the Cougars could recover, the Royals had gone ahead.

In attempting to control the puck, Cougar coach Billy Reay passed too far back. Reay got to Blinky Boyce, who had anticipated the move, in time to stop Boyce, but not in time to stop Max McNab who had taken Boyce's pass and, in the process, had deked Pelletier for fair to slide the puck into the net.

## Prosperity Was Short Lived

Leading 2-1, the Royals got a break when Walt Clune, who had followed Durham into the penalty box, shot wide on his return on a clean break from centre ice. They parlayed the situation into a defensive stand that through the early part of the third period saw the Cougars do everything but really get a clear try on the net.

It was Cougar pressure against a battling Royal team as the locals sought to get even. Then when they did, through a fine play, Doug Anderson to Colin Kilburn to Doug MacIntyre, who beat Dechene with a low shot to the corner, they almost immediately gambled too freely and lost.

Tonight the feuding, with the Royals eyeing first place, resumes at New Westminster. The antithesis is hard to figure.

## NON-TITLE BOUT

MONTREAL (CP)—Promoter Raoul Godbout announced Friday that arrangements have been completed for a 10-round, non-title bout, December 13, between Canadian lightweight champion Richard Kid Howard of Halifax and Bryan Kelly of Niagara Falls, Ont.

## Sports

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## Quakers Trim Canucks

Saskatoon 5, Vancouver 3 (By The Canadian Press)

Saskatoon Quakers found themselves with a small measure of prestige following Friday night's WHL action.

The lowly Quakers picked up their sixth win of the season in defeating the Prairie-touring Vancouver Canucks, 5-3. The win moved Quakers to within eight points of the fifth-place Canucks.

Saskatoon jumped into a 1-0 lead near the end of the first period, then extended it to 3-1 in the second. The teams split four goals in the final stand, with Eddie Kullman scoring the winner and Vic Lynn the clincher for Saskatoon.

Vancouver yanked goalie Bev Bentley for a face-off in the Saskatoon zone with 45 seconds to go but their strategy backfired as Eldy Kobussen won the draw from Harry Dick and passed to Lynn, who hit the empty net.

## WHL Summaries

**NEW WESTMINSTER 3, VICTORIA 2**  
First period—No scoring. Penalties: Bryerton 12:35, McLean 12:40. Second period—1, Victoria, E. Dorohoy (Marquess, Heberton), 9:01. New Westminster, Fashoway (Boyce, Pelletier), 13:06. 2, New Westminster, McNab (Boyce), 13:35. Penalties: Boyce 3:33, Durham 4:39, Clune 12:37. Third period—4, Victoria, Macaulay (Kilburn, Anderson), 16:25. 5, New Westminster, McLean, Fielder, 18:27. Penalties: None.

**SASKATOON 5, VANCOUVER 3**  
First period—1, Saskatoon, Manson (Kilford, Kousman), 18:08. Penalties: Kullman 3:25, Reeve 3:24, Dick 3:55, Brown 19:19. Second period—2, Saskatoon, McLeod (Robertson, Lynn), 1:30. 3, Vancouver, Chalmers (Adam, Reave), 7:05. 4, Saskatoon, Kullman (Ross, Manson), 13:16. Penalties: Kullman 14:37. Third period—3, Vancouver, Dea (B. Ross, Dick), 3:26. 6, Saskatoon, Kullman (J. Ross, Kousman), 7:30. 7, Vancouver, Brown (Dea), 12:37. 8, Saskatoon, Lynn (Kousman), 19:30. No penalties.

**VICTORIA**  
W L T P A Pts  
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Vancouver 25 12 7 1 90 77 35  
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# A Week's Work

By DENNY BOYD

Now just suppose that you were Johnny Bond. How do you think you would like it?

Outside of Spanky Hodgson, who has three goal-pieces to protect him, you would be the smallest player in the league. And, as such, you would be the target of more than a few fists and elbows. Being high-high to a bound dog, quite a few of these missiles would be striking you about the head and ears instead of the ribs and chest where the average player absorbs his punishment.

Being a Montrealer with a temper to match, you would at times feel like divesting your assailants of their scalps, but you would desist because you also have a consuming appetite for scoring goals. You have yet to score a goal while sitting beside the penalty timekeeper.

But, looking back, you would find that this angelic attitude, while frustrating at times, has been paying off in goals and has helped to make your Navy hockey league team the real "comer" in the Vancouver Island Amateur Hockey League.

How would you feel if you were Johnny Bond — about going out on the ice with the navy club to play, say, the Nanaimo Clippers?

Do you think you could keep your five feet four inches and 145 pounds in one piece when there were body wreckers around like George Milford and Earl Robinson? Do you think you could check these guys, man to man, come out with a whole skin and, in every likelihood, a couple of goals?

## Proves Big Point for All Mites

Well, this little Bond fellow goes on, week after week, showing that the little guy does not have to take up parlor games to make his dent in the world of sports.

What's more, when he breaks he can find this Navy bromide thumbs his nose at Lady Luck by brazenly wearing the hexed number 13 sweater. He doesn't want any breaks except the ones he makes himself.

Bond isn't getting the penalties he used to get when he

## Bond's a Real Able Seaman

Just recently the Navy coaching staff handed Bond a pretty tough assignment. They told him to go out and check C & C Taxi's Don Ashbee. Mysteriously released by the Victoria Cougars, Ashbee's brilliant handling and bull-eye shooting had scored eight goals in two games.

Bond did it basketball style. Every time Ashbee took a stride, Bond was at his elbow, taking two strides. Like a terrier, Bond worried Ashbee from the first whistle to the last. Ashbee went scoreless that night.

As the teams were skating off the ice, Bond hustled over to Ashbee, grabbed him with one hand and shook the glove off the other.

## Wolves Reveal Secret, Use Efficiency Ratio

By ARCH MacKENZIE  
Canadian Press Staff Writer  
LONDON (CP) — Wolverhampton Wanderers had a system when they beat Moscow Spartak soccer club 4-0 and rescued England's deflated soccer pride.

Thanks to Wing Commander Charles Reeps of the Royal Air Force, they've had it for several years.

"It's the basis of any success we are having," said manager Stan Cullis. The system codifies the efficiency ratio in a complicated, charted post mortem.

In more than 200 matches, Reeps has conscientiously plotted every move—average number per game is 450. Cullis gets the charted results after each game. Reeps, a tall, middle-aged, two-hour accountant, devotes two hours of spare time a day, seven days a week, to his hobby.

Result: Wolves won their first league championship last year and are not favorites to repeat. Their stature since beating Spartak is immense.

"The ultimate in goal scoring now is known," says Reeps. "Hungary's Olympic champion national side is 75 per cent along the road to perfection. Wolves, when they play well, are 60 per cent advanced."

Reeps started out about five years ago using 20 or so symbols. Now he has hundreds to jot down his notes.

Cullis says the Russians have reduced "soccer and all other sports to a science"—observers

said the Soviet players performed like chessmen — and Wolverhampton is doing something the same.

Reeps went to Switzerland last year for the World Cup games and plotted England's losing game against Uruguay. He submitted the chart to England's national team officials, and got it back with a polite note of acknowledgment, he says.

Now, Reeps is dickering with several interested countries which want to get a look at his system.

## Duck Callers Seeking World Title

STUTTGART, Ark. (AP) — The duck-calling championship of the world gets under way today in this little south Arkansas town. More than 5,000 festival seekers, duck hunters and duck-callers are expected to jam this duck capital of the world for the contest that will decide which caller is the best in the world at talking to ducks.

State champions of a dozen states from California to Illinois are scheduled to compete.

The only entries in the world contest who aren't state champions are the winner of the international duck-calling contest at Crowley, La., the Pacific flyways champion, and last year's world champion.

## DREAM GOAL COULD COME SUNDAY

# Rocket Eyes No. 400

MONTREAL (CP) — Maurice Richard, the high-gear piece of scoring machinery whose exploits and temperament have lighted up his National Hockey League career like a Christmas tree, is on the verge of scoring his 400th goal.

The Rocket hit 398 in Detroit Thursday night. The big explosion, with all the flair that is Richard's alone, may come any time.

The schedule sends the Rocket and his Montreal Canadiens teammates into New York Sunday night and into Toronto next Wednesday. Canadiens' next home game is Thursday against Toronto Leafs. The black-thatched rightwinger is in his 13th

NHL season. He is 33 but has retained his amazingly gifted artistry and color.

Every time Richard has scored since Nov. 8, 1952, he has set a record. On that date he broke the mark of 324, held by the famous Nels Stewart, who played mostly with Montreal Maroons in a 15-season career.

No present-day player is near Richard. Closest are Ted Lindsay of Detroit Red Wings and Bill Mosienko of Chicago Black Hawks, each with 251. Detroit's great Gordie Howe, seven years younger than Richard, has scored 250 in eight campaigns and to date in the current season.

Richard's flaming temperament and temper have been costly to him. Available NHL

# Rocks Share Lead

## Northup Sparks Irish to Cage Win

Victoria Shamrocks are again tied for leadership in the senior B men's basketball league and Jack Northup is still hooping shots with consistency.

Northup was again the big gun Friday night at S. J. Willis Junior High School as he tossed in 17 points to pace Shamrocks to a 45-33 victory over Copley Bros. to move the team into a first-place tie with Individuals. Shamrocks can vault into sole possession of first place Tuesday night at S. J. Willis when they are scheduled to meet Vampires.

With only five men in strip Friday night, the Irish trailed, 19-18, at half-time. It was Copley's fourth successive defeat. Bill Bamford scored 11 points for the winners, while Lowell Hodges topped Copleys with 14 points.

Preliminary action saw Ace Plumbers down Broadhead 37-11 in a juvenile boys' game, and First Union nip Tillamook 21-16 in a midget boys' contest. Line-ups and team standings follow:

Copley Bros.—Morrison 2, Hitchcock 2, Oakley 9, Hodges 14, Stokes 6, McKay, Clarkson.  
Shamrocks—R. Taylor, D. Loomer 3, R. Barnes 7, R. Beech 3, J. Reid, B. McLay 2, R. Loomer 2, Total—45.  
First Union—B. Raddler 2, B. Chapman 4, D. Black 5, J. Bollen, J. May 6, Green, D. McKinnon, D. Nelson 4, Total—21.

Ace Plumbers—Pomeroy 5, Foster 2, Hinch 12, Willis 1, Lee 4, Fletcher 4, Smith 3, Total—37.  
Broadhead—Earl 4, Drisdale, Selkirk 3, O'Connor 2, Trickett, Donaldson, Bacon, Skillings 2, Gibson, Hanson, Total—11.

Individuals  
Shamrocks 3 1 6  
Vampires 2 2 4  
Fletcher 2 2 4  
Copley Bros. 0 4 0

## Queen's Own Selected Horse of Year

TORONTO (CP) — Queen's Own, three-year-old chestnut colt owned by Toronto industrialist E. P. Taylor, has been chosen Canada's horse of the year for 1954. It was announced Friday.

The Canadian-bred son of War Jeep out of Sea Reigh, which won nine races in 13 starts this season, was unanimously selected by sports editors and turf writers without a dissenting vote. The poll was conducted by the Daily Racing Form.

It was the third time in four years that Taylor horses have won the award: Bull Page won in 1951 and Canadiana and the 1952 choice, King Maple, owned by Mrs. Gordon MacMackin of Toronto and Winnipeg was the choice last year.

Queen's Own, which placed second to Collistree in the \$25,000-added Queen's Plate, went on to complete total earnings of \$33,360 for the season.

## City Chess

Results, standings and draw in the Victoria and district chess championship tournament follow:

VICTORIA AND DISTRICT CHAMPIONSHIP  
RESULTS  
R. H. Snape 1, J. Schmidt 0, W. D. Haviland 1, Dr. J. Baker 0, L. Kelle 1, J. Jaworsky 0, A. E. Sharp 1, J. H. Lacey 1, A. E. Sharp 1, A. H. Shuard 0, R. H. Bennett 1, L. Kelle 0, J. Schmidt 1, J. Jaworsky 0, R. H. Snape 1, L. O. Jewett 0, E. P. Rola 1, T. N. Currier 0.

STANDINGS  
Championship—  
R. H. Snape 5 4 1 0 4  
W. D. Haviland 4 3 1 0 3  
R. H. Bennett 3 3 2 0 3  
Dr. J. Baker 2 2 1 1 2  
A. E. Sharp 4 2 1 0 2  
J. Schmidt 3 2 1 0 2

SCHEDULE  
B Division, Tuesday, Dec. 7—Higgs vs. Isomaa, Kelle vs. Stewart, Rigby vs. Grover, Jones vs. Wilkinson, R. Rigby vs. J. Stewart vs. G. Wilkinson postponed.

The possible challengers are J. Gordon Thompson, London, Ont., an oilman; and Donald Malcolm Campbell, son of the late English speedboat king, Sir Malcolm Campbell.

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The Pro Leap-Frog League

Up, over and out is Dick Lane of the Chicago Cardinals as he vaults over the back of Los Angeles Rams' Tom Fears to break up a forward pass play. This dance of the behemoths occurred in a recent professional football game in the Los Angeles Coliseum. (NEA Photo.)

## NEW YORK MARKET DEAD

# Wanta Place a Bet? Just Call 'Canada'

By MURRAY ROSE  
NEW YORK (AP) — "If you want some action you gotta call Canada these days." Our man shook his head sorrowfully.

## HOCKEY SCORES

ATLANTIC COAST SENIOR  
Moncton 1, Amherst 6  
Fredericton 1, Charlottetown 1  
ONTARIO SENIOR "A"  
North York 4, Kitchener 2  
NORTH YORK SENIOR "A"  
North York 4, Kitchener 2  
WESTERN INTERNATIONAL  
Trail 6, Kimberley 6  
VERNON SENIOR "A"  
Vernon 6, Kamloops 1  
Kamloops 4, Penticton 5  
ONTARIO SENIOR "A"  
North York 4, Kitchener 2  
NORTH YORK SENIOR "A"  
North York 4, Kitchener 2  
WINNIPEG SENIOR "A"  
Winnipeg Barons 3, Winnipeg Monarchs 6

## RUMOR HAS IT

# Stampede Interested In Royal?

EDMONTON (CP) — Don Fleming in his column Friday on an Edmonton Journal sports page says that Calgary Stampede, seeking a coach for the Western Interprovincial Football Union team next season, "are looking in the direction of none other than Darrel Royal."

Royal, who coached Edmonton Eskimos in the 1953 season and is credited with introducing the split-T to Canada, returned to Mississippi State as head coach this season. Edmonton released Royal from a three-year contract so he could accept the Mississippi State appointment. Fleming wrote: "The former-Eskimo pilot isn't happy about the Mississippi State deal and has confessed to hankering to come back to Canada."

# Seattle May Host Harmsworth Boat Race

SEATTLE (UP) — An international Harmsworth speedboat race may be held here next year, the Seattle Times reported Friday.

The unlimited-hydroplane trophy, valued by some speedboat men even more highly than the Gold Cup, has lain dormant since it was won in 1950 by Seattle's Slo-Mo-Shun IV, the newspaper said.

It was not determined whether the race would be held on Lake Washington here or in Detroit.

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# Majors to Map Plans For 10-Team League

By JOE REICHLER

NEW YORK (AP) — Plans for two 10-club circuits are expected to be mapped out at the major league baseball convention starting here Monday.

The American League will consider a proposal by Hank Greenberg, general manager of the Cleveland Indians, to expand the circuit to 10 clubs in 1956.

The National League also will discuss the advisability of increasing its clubs to 10 within two years, although no official notification has been given to its members.

The National League apparently has beaten the American to the punch. Following the draft meeting Dec. 22, a National League committee was appointed to investigate and explore the Pacific coast for the purpose of adding two cities to the National League.

Greenberg's proposal is much the same as that of the National League. It calls for a three-man committee to investigate fertile territory for future expansion but it doesn't specify any particular territory.

MONTREAL, TORONTO SEEN  
If and when the two leagues become 10-team circuits, it was believed that Los Angeles and San Francisco would become National League members, while Montreal and Toronto, with the Minneapolis-St. Paul territory an outside choice, would become members of the American League.

Other proposals include changes in the rules pertaining to playoff of postponed games at the end of the season, and making all unfinished games, regardless of the reason, suspended games. The owners will consider the list of players' requests including the raising of the minimum salary from \$6,000 to \$7,200. The night game problem also will be discussed.

The majors also will act on the 11 of the 23 amendments to the major-minor agreement adopted by the minors at Houston.

The most important legislation passed by the minors at Houston was the amendment to ban commercial broadcasts and telecasts of baseball games on stations outside a club's home territory. A club's home territory is defined as within 50 miles of its ball park. The majors' ratification is needed to make it baseball law.

## Esquimalt Cagers Split With Cowichan

Esquimalt High School senior boys continued their winning ways on the basketball court Friday night at the school gym. The locals racked up their sixth win in seven games by whipping Lake Cowichan High, 64-26, in the feature contest of a two-game card. In the preliminary, Lake Cowichan girls defeated Esquimalt, 36-18.

Esquimalt boys showed too much talent for the up-Islanders and held a 20-11 half-time lead before relying mainly on reserves in the second half. Chuck Bennett canned 15 points to top all scorers, while teammate Joe Patterson hooped 12 and J. Whalen added 10 points. D. Edgund led the losers with five points.

Elizabeth Boyd paced Cowichan girls with 14 points, with Pat Lisle leading the Esquimalt girls with a five-point effort.

Line-ups follow:  
Esquimalt—M. Jeffery 8, A. Webb 4, J. Patterson 12, C. Bennett 15, G. McCready 2, W. Humphries 4, D. Shaw 2, H. S. J. 2, J. 2, MacDonald 2, Bryant 4, Hunter 2, Total—64.

Lake Cowichan—E. Thompson 4, E. Boyd 14, A. Denwick 2, B. Miles 8, A. Linton 1, Chowanard 4, A. Leach 8, T. Young 2, A. Johnson, V. Pratt, L. McDonald, Total—36.

Esquimalt—B. Rogers 4, P. Lisle 5, Frame 3, McCree, V. Lesage, 4, W. Hanbury, M. MacDonald 2, Total—18.

## Queen's Pigeon Best

LONDON (AP) — A couple of fancy racing pigeons — one whose mistress is Queen Elizabeth and the other whose master is Marshal Tito of Yugoslavia — met professionally Friday.

The Queen's bird had his wings fanned out, his form checked and judges at the international pigeon show ruled him the best in the cock loft.

The white bird belonging to Marshal Tito failed to place.

# ENGLISH CRICKETERS IN FINE OPENING

ROCKHAMPTON, Australia (Reuters) — The touring English team hit out freely to score 317 against a Queensland County side on the first day of a two-day cricket match here today. Queensland had replied with 49 for the loss of two wickets when stumps were drawn.

Bill Edrich was top scorer with 74, hitting a six and eight fours. He and Len Hutton had an opening partnership of 112.

## CAMPAIGN MUSHROOMS

# Chuck Getting Cheers From All Sides Now

MONTREAL (CP) — The Cheer Up Chuck campaign had brought responses Friday night from 15,832 football fans and the monstrous tribute to a player who goofed had developed campaigns within campaigns.

"The whole thing is becoming almost unbelievable," said manager Jimmy Tapp of CJAD Montreal, the radio station that calmly started the campaign this week and then found itself swamped with responses.

The station suggested fans send in their names and a dime for each name to pay the cost of a cheer-up telegram—with all the names — to Chuck Hunsinger at his home in Harrisburg, Ill. Hunsinger's bobble in the big Grey Cup game last Saturday — allowed — Edmonton Eskimos to pull out a 26-25 win over Montreal Alouettes.

A Montreal doctor telephoned the station to say Hunsinger, as a hunter, might like a nifty gun. A banker telephoned to suggest a watch.

"I told each I have my hands full and perhaps they had better get together on another campaign," said Tapp. "They did, and told me today (Friday) they had collected \$80."

A more undesirable campaign cropped up in neighboring Verdun. Householders telephoned the station "for Chuck." Manager Tapp telephoned the police.

One visitor to the station said he had personally telephoned Hunsinger, and the Alouette halfback said he had received about 200 letters from fans.

# Olson, Lanalois Ink Pact

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Middleweight champion Carl Bobo Olson and Pierre Langlois of France signed the official contract Friday for their 15-round title fight here December 15.

The ceremony, attended by several hundred fight followers, developed into a hassle. George Kanter, American representative for Langlois, announced that signing of the contract did not mean that all articles were agreed upon.

"We plan to ask that the world boxing federation appoint a judge or judges for this fight," Kanter said.

Joe Phillips, San Francisco member of the California state athletic commission, told him that the California commission "controls boxing in this state and appoints its own licensed officials."

# Lions, Browns Seek Grid Crowns Sunday

NEW YORK (CP) — Detroit Lions and Cleveland Browns, who staged a thrill-a-minute playoff game last season before Detroit won out in the last quarter, could set the stage for another bash at each other in the follow-up of this week-end's National Football League action.

The defending champion Lions need only to defeat Philadelphia Eagles to clinch the western division title and assure themselves a place in the East-West game that takes place in the eastern champions' city Dec. 26.

If the Lions win, Cleveland must defeat Washington and Pittsburgh must subdue New York in order for the Browns to wrap up the eastern title. Should New York and Philadelphia triumph, both will retain a mathematical chance of winning the eastern conference. Cleveland has a 7-2 record while the Giants and Eagles are in second place with 6-4.

In other games Chicago Bears visit their cross-town rivals, the Cardinals, Green Bay Packers play the '49ers in San Francisco, and Los Angeles Rams entertain Baltimore Colts.

All games except the one at Los Angeles are scheduled for Sunday. The Rams and Colts play today.

# UPLANDS GOLF

Mrs. B. H. Anderson fired a 94-17-77 Friday to win the turkey competition at Uplands Golf Club. Runner-up was Mrs. C. S. Humber with 96-17-79.

# Dockyard Golfers Capture Trophy

HMCS Dockyard won the Sports Shop Inter-Ship Golf Trophy recently in the Navy Golf Turkey Tournament at George Vale Golf Club.

Dockyard had a gross team score of 695, HMCS Ontario had 774 while HMCS Ontario and ships had 772.

Individual prize winners follow:  
Low gross 18 holes, OS Reservey, 81; low net 18 holes, Lint, Wilkes, 65; low gross first nine, Lint, Bell-Pringle, 49; low gross second nine, Cmdr. Little, 49; low net first nine, CPO Rayson, 38; low net second nine, CPO Bennett, 35; low net (hidden holes, first nine), PO Bailey, low net (hidden holes, second nine), Padre Williams, 33; low net (hidden holes, first nine), Padre Williams, 33; low net (hidden holes, second nine), Padre Williams, 33; low net (hidden holes, first nine), Padre Williams, 33; low net (hidden holes, second nine), Padre Williams, 33.

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# NIBC Tournney City Baby Now

By RON COULTER

The week in review and what's new in the North-western International Bowling Congress tournament picture.

The time is fast approaching when local big-ball trundlers can show their interest warrants consideration by tournament officials, or they can prove to all that they are still in the small-time class.

In reply to a formal application by Gibson's Bowldrome to have the tournament here in 1956, NIBC officials have written a return letter which can easily be taken as an ultimatum.

The text of the letter, in essence, is this:

The NIBC tournament will be held in Portland next spring. Seattle has been chosen as the site for the 1956 pin meet and Victoria

may be considered as a possible site for '57.

That allocation of the tournament is based on interest shown in the event, namely representation at the tournament.

That a guarantee of about 70 Island teams for the tournament here would have to be given before Victoria would be considered.

To sum it all up, it looks like NIBC officials have told local bowlers in a mild manner to show they rate the tournament, or to give up hope of obtaining it here in the near future.

Representation at next spring's tournament in Portland will likely decide the issue.

## What Happened to the Harmony?

With the present acrimonious situation existing between the two local establishments housing tenpins, it might be a sound idea for the Greater Victoria Tenpin Bowling Association executives to consider maintaining harmony in tenpin circles when they call the next meeting.

It seems apparent that a meeting should be held on neutral grounds and not at one alley or the other. This only promotes ill-feeling and doesn't benefit the sport.

At the annual meeting Wednesday night, Howard Damasko was returned as president, with Bill Brown named vice-president and

Ron Wilson re-elected secretary.

The city association annual tournament dates were set for Feb. 6 and 13 at Gibson's.

What price fame? Rolling in Gibson's mixed tins Thursday night, Charlie Atkinson struck out in the second game with a four-timer and then racked up eight strikes to open the third game for a total of 12 consecutive strikes.

He took a six-pin hit on the ninth frame and finished with a league record single of 259. His total was 618.

Wilbur Webb turned in a 596 triple and Cas Sapala a 574. Webb shot a 223 single. Sapala 220, and veteran George Motion 216.

## Lolly Topped the Fair Sex

Lolly Hughes totaled 553 and posted a 203 single. Lorna Luney came in with a 549 triple and 218 singleton and Duff Williams tallied 514 for three to lead the women.

Veteran John Angus paced the commercial section with a 606 triple, while Len Parsons, 590; Roy Bridger and J. Hobby, 570, and Connie McBeth at 550 followed.

Brown, 234; Bridger 233; Angus, 224; Russ Stern, 223; Alex Quinn, 209; Bill Gornall and Wally Robertson, 206; Bill Mowat and Hobby, 205; Len Scott, 204; Gordie Bamford, 203; and Hugh Bryan, Dave Doolittle and McBeth, 201, claimed leading singles.

Wally Anderson was top man in Strathcona commercial tens with a 566 triple and Bud Falk chipped in a 552 effort. Falk, 224; Anderson, 217; 214; Cec Dixon, 209; and Ron McArthur, 203, had high singles.

Blondie Robinson, 819; Des Nex, 802; Clara Bell, 797; Harry Cool, 795; Lloyd Chow, 792; Jim Cullen, 782; Wilf Smith, 773; Doug Spruston, 759; Darrel Baker, 738; Bill Cool, 719; John Torjek, 716; George Brown, 715; John Birkhead, 703; and Harry Smith, 701, led fivepinners at Capital City.



## Your Dog And Mine

By TAILWAGGER

How often is it necessary to wash a dog? Exhibitors of many, nay, most breeds, rarely wash their dogs.

A wire-haired fox terrier fancier, for example, washes his charge only when there is no other method of cleansing; when, for instance, the little fellow has frolicked in a field where cattle have pastured, or after he has had an encounter with some unfriendly animal like a skunk.

Repeated washings do soften the coat, and will eventually produce that "woolly dog" appearance so popular with toy-makers, but not at all to the liking of dog-lovers.

Washing has another drawback, though this is only temporary. Warm water appears to bring out, for a short time after washing, a strong and very pungent smell. This doggy smell in some breeds is very objectionable, whilst in others it is merely a sweet, warm odor. This doggy smell, of course, is also very noticeable after the dog has been out in the rain and comes inside the house to dry off.

If you must wash the dog, use warm, never hot, water. Use a good germicidal soap and be very careful to keep the soap from the dog's ears and eyes; it is especially important that the soapy water should be thoroughly rinsed from the dog's

coat. A short time after you have rubbed down his coat with the towel you will find that a dampness returns, and it is often necessary to go over him again with the towel. If your dog can put up with the noise, you will find the cylinder-type of vacuum cleaner makes an excellent hair-dryer. Keep the dog in a warm temperature for several hours after washing him. The idea of letting him run around outside to dry himself may be permissible on a summer's day, but there is always the danger that he will rub himself along the ground in an effort to rid himself of the after-effects of a bath; as a result, your labors will have been in vain.

**DAILY GROOMING**  
We would prefer the brush and comb to soap and water. Daily grooming will keep the dog quite clean—except in occasional cases such as the meadow frolic mentioned previously. If anything more is needed, a vigorous rub down with a rag soaked in some suitable antiseptic cleanser will clean up and give lustre to the coat.

Just one more point, soap and water remove the natural oil in the skin and make it dry and itchy. Sometimes you think it's a flea that's bothering your pup, when in reality it's that last bath you gave him.

## TIME OUT! JEFF KEATE



## Curling Draw

Next week's Curling Club draw follows:

**MONDAY**  
8:45 p.m.—Hullard vs. Noble (1); Knight vs. Ormiston (2); C. P. Watson vs. Padre Roberts (3); Robertson vs. Shillingham (4); Renfrew vs. Hyde (5); Kilgus vs. C. Wells (6).

9 p.m.—McCormack vs. Finlan (1); Kidd vs. Gibson (2); Cooper vs. McInnes (3); Leach vs. P. Wells (4); Baker vs. McKelvie (5); Rev. Jones vs. Bullock (6).

**TUESDAY**  
8:45 p.m.—Sellers vs. Lander (1); Caughlin vs. Paulin (4); Malcolm vs. Bowering (7); Halliday vs. Pigeon (8); Jeffrey vs. Law (11); Cathro vs. McGillivray (12).

9 p.m.—J. A. Thompson vs. Bill Lawson (3); Wilf Lawson vs. Ryvort (4); Zabel vs. Burden (7); Cooper vs. McInnes (8); Hanford vs. Bown (11); Ludlow vs. G. W. Thomson (12).

**WEDNESDAY**  
8:45 p.m.—James vs. Perlette (3); Gordon vs. Harrell (4); Dunstan vs. Tucker (7); Walker vs. Bossons (8); Smalton vs. Croll (11); Yardley vs. Brownell (12).

9 p.m.—Gutowski vs. McKay (3); Garraway vs. Brown (4); K. C. Lawson vs. McInnes (7); Thorneley vs. Tang (8); Zabel vs. Fletcher (11); Gates vs. Mojsey (12).

**THURSDAY**  
8:45 p.m.—McCormack vs. Gibson (1); Kidd vs. Challenger (4); Lachie vs. P. Wells (7); Halliday vs. Pigeon (8); Baker vs. Bullock (11); Rev. Jones vs. Finlan (12).

9 p.m.—Hullard vs. Ormiston (1); Knight vs. Padre Roberts (4); Watson vs. Shillingham (7); Robertson vs. Hyde (8); Renfrew vs. C. Wells (11); Kilgus vs. Noble (12).

**FRIDAY**  
8:45 p.m.—J. A. Thompson vs. Ryvort (3); W. Lawson vs. Burden (4); Zabel vs. McDouall (7); Cooper vs. Bown (8); Hanford vs. Ludlow (11); G. W. Thomson vs. Bill Lawson (12).

9 a.m.—Sellers vs. Paulin (4); Caughlin vs. Bowering (7); Halliday vs. Pigeon (8); Jeffrey vs. Law (11); Cathro vs. McGillivray vs. Lander (12).

**SATURDAY**  
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9 p.m.—James vs. Harrell (4); Gordon vs. Tucker (7); Dunstan vs. Bossons (8); Smalton vs. Croll (11); Yardley vs. Brownell (12).

**WOMEN**  
**MONDAY**  
8:45 p.m.—Langley vs. Richardson (7); Bullock vs. Wells (8);  
9:30 p.m.—Bradley vs. Wiltick (7); Brown vs. Stubbs (8).

**WEDNESDAY**  
8:45 p.m.—Cooper vs. Smith (3); 9:30 p.m.—McKay vs. scratch (5); McGillivray vs. McKinnon (6).

**THURSDAY**  
8:45 p.m.—Langley vs. Wells (3); 9:30 p.m.—Bullock vs. Wiltick (5); Bradley vs. Stubbs (8).

**SATURDAY**  
8:45 p.m.—Brown vs. Smith (3); Cooper vs. scratch (4);  
9:30 p.m.—McKay vs. McKinnon (5); McGillivray vs. Richardson (6).

# Collegiate Hoop Future Bright

Hopes that a five-team intercollegiate basketball league may open here early in January were brighter today following the first test of strength Friday night.

Some 100 fans turned out to watch the cagers go through their paces at Oak Bay Junior High School and saw Normal School first team, Pedigogs and Oak Bay High School emerge victorious in the three-game card.

Normal School first team whipped Victoria College Vikings, 69-43. Pedigogs downed Normal School second team, 49-39, and Oak Bay High School emerged victorious in the three-game card.

Another three games will be played tonight at the same site. Pedigogs meet Naden at 7:30. Victoria College Vikings go against HMCS Venture at 8:30 and Royal Roads take on Normal School firsts at 9:30.

Teams interested in forming the Intercollegiate League are Victoria College, Normal, Royal Roads, Venture and Pedigogs.

An organizational meeting has been set for the near future when plans for the league are expected to be completed.

Dave Williamson was the big man for Normal School firsts Friday night, scoring 19 points to pace his team to victory. Al

Snowsall added 12 points and Alan Worthy and Don "Twister" Hill each had 11.

Williamson and Hill previously played with Alberni Athletics senior A men's club.

Dave Price paced Vikings with a 12-point effort while teammate Bill Oldham scored 10. Bruce Naylor dumped in 16 points and B. McConnehy hit the hoop for 14 to lead Pedigogs.

McConnehy scored 15 points for Normal School second.

Showers scored 25 points to lead Oak Bay High to victory, while Creighton tallied 20 points for Norsemens.

Line-ups follow:  
Oak Bay High—Willis 6, Harvey, Feden 4, Jackson 4, Worthy 11, Winters 6, Williamson 19. Total 69.

Victoria College Vikings—Oldham 10, Pigeon 12, Harris 4, Corbett 4, Evans 5, Robinson, Boston, Auchinachie 2, Beveridge 4. Total 43.

Pedigogs—Jones 1, Hartley 4, Smyth 4, MacDonald, Naylor 16, Lawther 4, McConnehy 14, Oakley 4. Total 49.

Normal School II—Schmunk 15, Guidi 4, Wylie, Brown, Romer, E. O'Neil 4, Dick 4, Christian 2, Jackson. Total 39.

# Notre Dame, Purdue Top East Grid Teams

SAN FRANCISCO (UP)—Jim Garrity, Penn State end, was added to the east team Friday as the squad reached its complement of 24 men for the January 1 Shrine game at Kezar Stadium.

Notre Dame and Purdue were the best represented by landing three men apiece on Dr. Eddie Anderson's team.

Both teams start practice on December 21, with the east at Santa Clara and the west at Stanford.

The complete east roster: Ends—Dan Shannon (Notre Dame), John Kerr (Purdue), Bob Dee (Holy Cross), Bob

McQuide (Pittsburgh), Jim Garrity (Penn State).

Tackles—Eldred Kraemer (Pittsburgh), Art Walker (Michigan), John Hall (Iowa), Ronald Geyer (Michigan).

Guards—Tom Bettis (Purdue), Henry Bulough (Michigan State), Jan Smid (Illinois), Gene Lamone (West Va.).

Centres—John Damore (Northwestern), John Allen (Purdue).

Quarterbacks—Ralph Guglielmi (Notre Dame), Tom Gastall (Boston U.), Don Bailey (Penn State).

Halfbacks—Leroy Bolden (Michigan State), Joe Heap (Notre Dame), Don Drzewiecki (Marquette), Ray Perkins (Syracuse).

Fullbacks—Bob McNamara (Minnesota), George Broeder (Iowa).

The Scottish bagpipe has three drones, or sounding reeds, while the Irish has but one.

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## RACE RESULTS

### GOLDEN GATE

First Race—  
No. 2002 (Martinez) 1:10.50 \$5.00 \$4.50  
Thunder Pussan (Fogell) 1:12.00 \$3.00 \$2.50  
2-Sunstar (Cook) 1:13.00 \$2.00 \$1.50  
Time—1:11.25

Also: Little Badge, No. 2003, Dark Ronalds, Upgrading, Callaway, No. 2004, 1:12.50 \$3.00 \$2.50  
Photo: Alan B. Trimmoli, Brave Roman, 2-Sunstar, original winner, disqualified and placed third.

Second Race—  
Bunny Blunder (Tani-guchi) 1:10.50 \$5.00 \$4.50  
Lodge Woman (Macroni) 1:12.00 \$3.00 \$2.50  
Fire Horse (Marsh) 1:13.00 \$2.00 \$1.50  
Time—1:11.25

Also: 1m. A. Ray, Gus, Intricate, Furnace Creek, Script Session, Naisid, Roman, 1:12.50 \$3.00 \$2.50  
Photo: Alan B. Trimmoli, Dues, Flaming Star, 1:13.00 \$2.00 \$1.50  
Daily Double paid \$21.60.

Third Race—  
Celine (Pearson) 1:10.50 \$5.00 \$4.50  
Belle Belle (Taniguchi) 1:12.00 \$3.00 \$2.50  
Pioneer Spirit (Fry) 1:13.00 \$2.00 \$1.50  
Time—1:11.25

Also: Night Jet, King's Take, Brice Supply, Hula Boos, 1:12.50 \$3.00 \$2.50  
Photo: Alan B. Trimmoli, Naisid, Roman, 1:13.00 \$2.00 \$1.50  
Daily Double paid \$21.60.

Fourth Race—  
Apurise (Taniguchi) 1:10.50 \$5.00 \$4.50  
Glive Fire (Cook) 1:12.00 \$3.00 \$2.50  
Society (York) 1:13.00 \$2.00 \$1.50  
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Fifth Race—  
Turrel (York) 1:10.50 \$5.00 \$4.50  
Pahala (Taniguchi) 1:12.00 \$3.00 \$2.50  
Raid Message (Trejos) 1:13.00 \$2.00 \$1.50  
Time—1:11.25

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Sixth Race—  
Mirmann (Gardner) 1:10.50 \$5.00 \$4.50  
Mr. Magpie (Taniguchi) 1:12.00 \$3.00 \$2.50  
Trick (York) 1:13.00 \$2.00 \$1.50  
Time—1:11.25

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Seventh Race—  
Lover, Early Choice, Johnny Edge, War Thistle, Bull Meluke, 1:12.50 \$3.00 \$2.50  
Photo: Alan B. Trimmoli, Naisid, Roman, 1:13.00 \$2.00 \$1.50  
Daily Double paid \$21.60.

Eighth Race—  
Real Hope (Nelson) 1:10.50 \$5.00 \$4.50  
Super Rhoda (Pearson) 1:12.00 \$3.00 \$2.50  
Fairly Gem (Cook) 1:13.00 \$2.00 \$1.50  
Time—1:11.25

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Photo: Alan B. Trimmoli, Naisid, Roman, 1:13.00 \$2.00 \$1.50  
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Ninth Race—  
Schall, Play Possum, Samoa Wind, 1:12.50 \$3.00 \$2.50  
Photo: Alan B. Trimmoli, Naisid, Roman, 1:13.00 \$2.00 \$1.50  
Daily Double paid \$21.60.

Tenth Race—  
Steppen (Martinez) 1:10.50 \$5.00 \$4.50  
Super Rhoda (Pearson) 1:12.00 \$3.00 \$2.50  
Fairly Gem (Cook) 1:13.00 \$2.00 \$1.50  
Time—1:11.25

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# Ryff Cut for Plenty But Plenty Cute Too

By JACK CUDDY, United Press Sports Writer  
NEW YORK (UP)—Unbeaten Frankie Ryff's confidence was undimmed today by 22 stitches about his eyes, and he said "I'll be ready to fight the lightweight title within six months."

Manager Charley Black, delighted with Frankie's split-decision victory over fourth-ranked contender Orlando Zulueta Friday night, declared, "He'll not only fight for the title, but he'll win it. He can beat any lightweight in the world right now."

Twenty-two-year-old Ryff of New York, outstanding candidate for "Rookie of the Year," registered his 16th straight victory as a professional before 3,000 at Madison Square Garden in the nationally televised and broadcast 10-rounder.

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Nardiello examined him twice in the corner but permitted him to continue against Cuban Zulueta, despite cries of "Stop it! Stop it!" from some of the fans.

Early today Nardiello took 22 stitches in Ryff's face. He said "Ryff will be out of action for about two months. After that he'll be as good as new."

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## Matron of Veterans' Hospital Loses Job For Ordering Nurses to Speak English Only

MONTREAL (BUP) — The matron of one of the nation's top veterans' hospitals was sent packing today because she told nurses to use only the English language for technical reasons. Ida Henderson's dismissal was ordered at an emergency meeting of senior staff officers at the Queen Mary Veterans' Hospital, following charges that she had discriminated against the use of French. The charges, first levelled by the nationalist Montreal newspaper Le Devoir, were investigated by a five-man board of doctors. It was ruled that, in violation of regulations of the department of veterans' affairs, Miss Henderson had not consulted proper authorities before issuing her instructions.

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## MONTY TO SPEND WEEK-END HUNTING DISPUTED MESSAGE

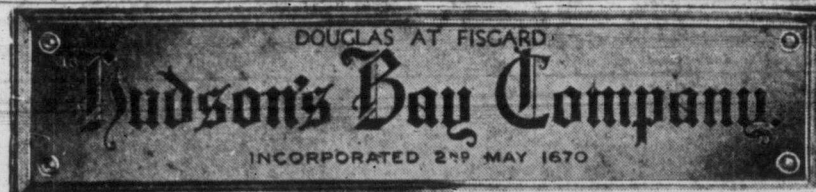
LONDON (UP) — Field Marshal Viscount Montgomery insisted today that Prime Minister Winston Churchill did not send him a controversial message on stacking German arms in 1945. "I'm going home and I will endeavor to look for the message this week-end. After my search I will call on the prime minister and tell him whether I have found it or not."

## Russian Surgeon Grafts Second Head On Dog; Laps From 2 Saucers at Once

LONDON (AP) — A Russian surgeon has created a two-headed dog by grafting on a second head, Moscow radio said Friday night. The head of a puppy was grafted upon the neck of a dog just below its other head. The broadcast said, "The operation was quite successful. The puppy's head showed all the signs of life, reacted to stimuli and even exhibited the usual playfulness of a puppy." "It was certainly an unusual sight to see the two-headed dog lapping milk from two saucers at once." The radio said the operation was performed by surgeon Valentin Demikhov, in whose laboratory dogs "have successfully been fitted with a second head and have had their lungs replaced."



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## The gift that's always right! Exquisite, first-quality, full fashioned nylons, beautifully made, delicately seamed! 8½-11!

Sure to please Mom, Sis, Grandmom, niece... No one ever has enough, and everybody loves brand name nylons, because not only are the heaviest weights and deniers as clear as a diamond and styled to flatter-fit your legs, but all hosiery creations put out by these famous-name manufacturers are factory-tested for all-round durability and wear before they're put on sale. You'll love them because there are lengths in the color, foot size and sheer-ness you want, proportioned to fit your leg, and you'll find, too, that the proportioned knit gives extra comfortable fit at ankle, calf and thigh... Buy those wanted pairs of nylons now, by makers everyone knows: Holeproof, Whisper, Orient and Phantom. (To add even greater excitement to your gift, plan to enclose a BAY Gift Certificate, available in all departments.)

### Sheer perfection! Famous Holeproof nylons

Beautiful to look at, in colors that will blend so well with your every ensemble. Wear them, you'll see how durable, flattering, well fitting they are. Beige, taupe, tan and grey tones.

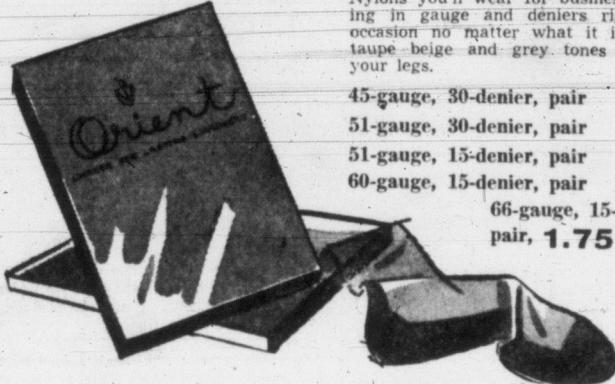
42-gauge, 30-denier, pair	1.35
51-gauge, 15-denier, pair	1.50
60-gauge, 15-denier, pair	1.75



### Orient hosiery in five favorite gauges

Nylons you'll wear for business, for dancing in gauge and deniers right for the occasion no matter what it is... Soft taupe-beige and grey tones that flatter your legs.

45-gauge, 30-denier, pair	1.35
51-gauge, 30-denier, pair	1.65
51-gauge, 15-denier, pair	1.35
60-gauge, 15-denier, pair	1.50
66-gauge, 15-denier, pair	1.75



### Veil your legs in clear, lovely Phantom

Here are nylons that give your legs that veiled, sun-kissed look that's so flattering... Choose your favorite shades from rosy beige, tan or grey... The minute you put them on you'll see how much lovelier your legs will look.

45-gauge, 30-denier, pair	1.35
51-gauge, 15-denier, pair	1.35
60-gauge, 15-denier, pair	1.50



### Packaged for protection, Whisper nylons

Sheer and shimmering Whisper nylons cover your pretty legs with a gossamer sheen that slenderizes and molds them to even greater beauty... Your favorite shades and weights are here!

45-gauge, 30-denier, pair	1.35
51-gauge, 15-denier, pair	1.35
66-gauge, 12-denier, pair	1.75
51-gauge, 30-denier, pair	1.65
60-gauge, 15-denier, pair	1.50



Our own BAYCREST nylons, fashioned the way you like them

And that is... from the finest, first quality yarns, designed to the proportions of your leg... and dyed in soft shades that blend with your dresses and suits, dream beige, mist grey and warm taupe. Sizes 8½ to 11.

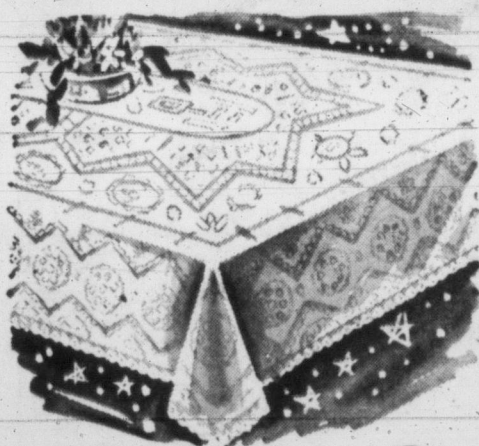
42-gauge, 30-denier, walking sheer	1.09
45-gauge, 30-denier, daytime sheer	1.19
51-gauge, 30-denier, dress sheer	1.29
51-gauge, 15-denier, evening sheer	1.19
60-gauge, 15-denier, formal sheer	1.39

BAY hosiery, main

Special note to husbands, dads and boy friends: If you're stumped on that special gift and need some help on the color and sheer-ness she'll like, just find out her foot size, then come and see us in the hosiery department... we'll do the rest!

## You'll SAVE Monday during the Bay's Christmas Sale of gift linens!

• Shop by phone. Dial 3-7111 and order by number.  
Sidney, Keating, Cobble Hill, call Zenith 6040 toll free.



### Set a beautiful table with a 2-tone, ecru lace cloth

Regular 6.95, 68x90 inches... Here's a luxurious, "heirloom" quality lace cloth in creamy two-tone ecru... Beautifully loomed in England, the wonderful thing is that, unlike fragile lace, this daintily sturdy beauty can stand up to plenty of hot water and soap flakes, yet never lose that first, new freshness! A wonderful gift anyone would be proud to own, but especially a young home-maker! A real luxury touch at a money-saving price.

5<sup>68</sup> Special,

### Fresh white cotton cases, beautifully embroidered!

Reg. 2.49. Wrapped in cellophane, so that you're sure they will be daisy fresh when they're opened on Christmas! Dainty embroidered flowers border the hem 1.89 of each case. Special, pair

### 12"x18" bamboo place mats packed in sets of 8

Reg. 1.29! Distinctive, different place settings for breakfast, luncheon or dinner tables... Here's a smart little gift, that looks much more expensive than this tiny price. Red, green, yellow, natural. Set of 8, 79¢

• Shop in person  
• Shop by phone  
• Shop by mail

### Irish linen bridge sets regularly priced at 2.69

Here's a generous size, 35½x35½-inch cloth and 4 matching napkins... Deep, glowing shades of rose, blue, green and gold. The cloth and napkins are finished with neatly hemstitched edges, come packaged in gift boxes. Special, set 1.99

### Hand-done embroidery on finest Madeira linen!

A joy to receive, a pleasure to have... Here's a real work of art, finest quality Irish linen, embroidered with painstaking craftsmanship in Madeira. 6 sets, 72x90-inch cloth and 8 napkins, 29.50  
6 sets, 72x108-inch cloth and 12 napkins, 39.50  
3 sets, 72x126-inch cloth and 12 napkins, 49.50

### Dry glasses to a sparkle with Irish linen tea towels

Reg. 49¢! You'll need plenty of these to dry those dishes after the big Christmas dinner! Finest quality Irish linen, in a generous 20x30-inch size. White with colored borders red, blue, green, gold. Special, each 38¢

### Reg. 49¢ printed cotton tea towels, novelty patterns

Get your dinner dishes really dry in just seconds with one of these large-size tea towels that come in handy over the holiday season. Special, each 28¢

Your gift in an HBC box shows you cared enough to give the best.

### From New York! Patterned luncheon cloths, reg. 2.95

Five different patterns style these pretty rayon cloths that would please as a gift, will find a place in your home, too! Choice of pastel colors. Size is 52x52 inches. Special, each 2.49

### Dainty, filigree Chinese embroidery on cotton case

Lovely pillow cases in fresh white cotton, touched at the border with the dainty, flower-like embroidery for which Chinese craftsmen are famous. Reg. 2.95. Special, each 2.39



BAY linens, third

### For lasting beauty! English cotton cases, hand embroidered in Madeira. Reg. 4.95

Associated with the finest quality there is, and some of the most beautiful workmanship... Madeira... Here for you, for Christmas to give, or keep for yourself, first quality white English cotton cases touched at the hem with delicate blue flowers, specially embroidered in Madeira. Special, pair 3.59



### Gift quality damask cloths and napkins — Pure linen

loomed in Belfast has a double-damasked finish, hand-rolled hems... You'll love this white, gleaming damask cloth on your table set, it'll look fit for a king! 68x86-inch cloth, each 6.95  
21x21-inch napkins, half dozen, 3.49  
68x104-inch cloth, each 8.95

### Hemstitched Irish linen, reg. 2.95

— Packed in cellophane to keep them really fresh, these Irish linen cases are finished with fine hemstitching... You'll love to own a pair, for not only do they look beautiful, they'll last years! Special, pair 2.59

### Irish linen place mat and napkin set

— Soft, gleaming colors add even more beauty to this set that contains 4 12x18-inch mats and 4 18x18-inch napkins, daintily packaged in a special box, ideal for gift giving. Choose from rose, green, silver, gold, beige, blue. Reg. 3.95. Special, set 2.95

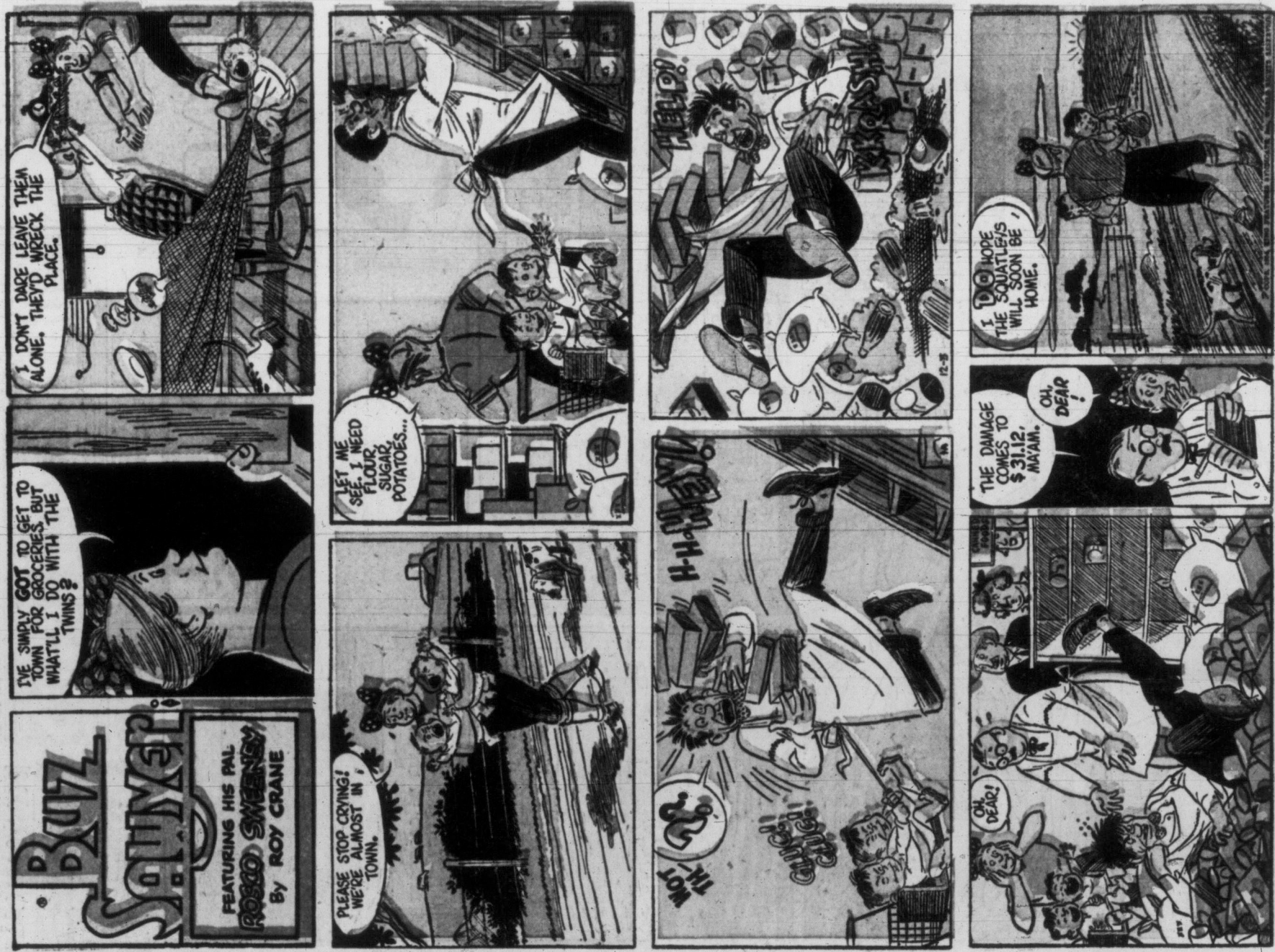
### Linen damask luncheon sets

— Reg. 13.50. You'd be proud to give, and happy to receive such a lovely present. Soft, hand-crafted Irish damask cloth in gleaming white and 4... napkins create this set that's right for setting a Christmas table. 70x88-inch cloth and 8 napkins. Special, BAY linens, third 10.95

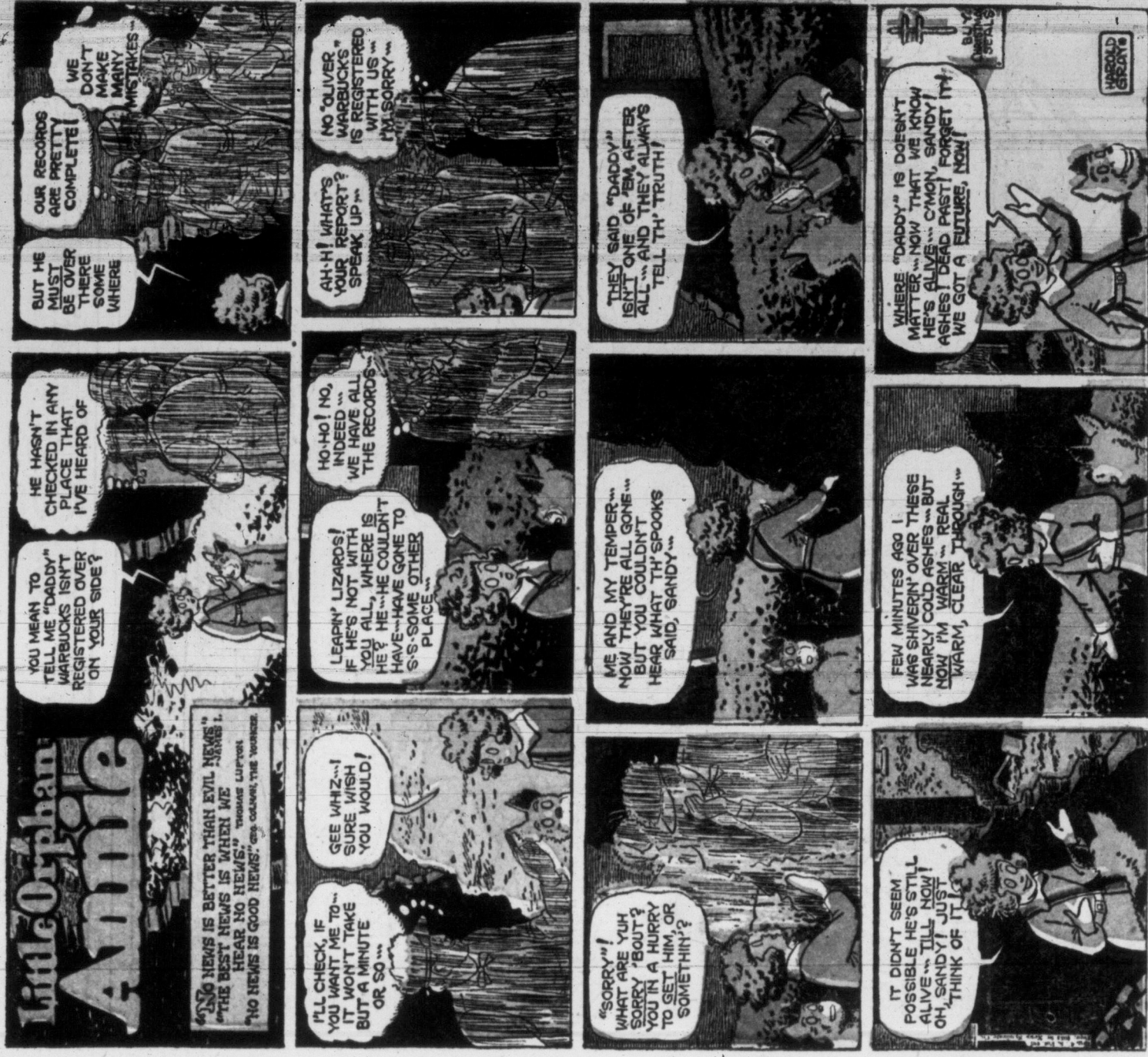
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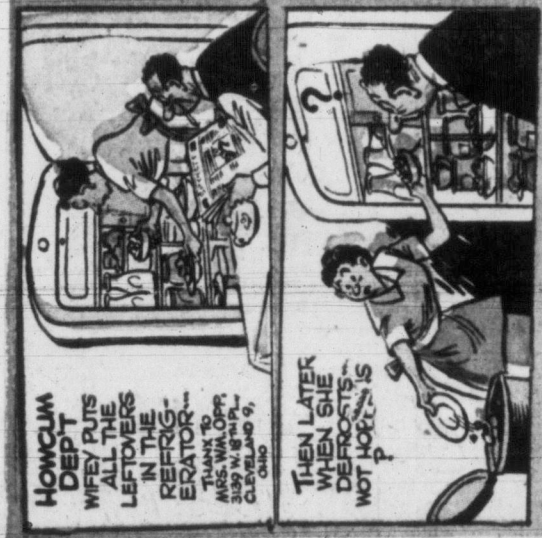






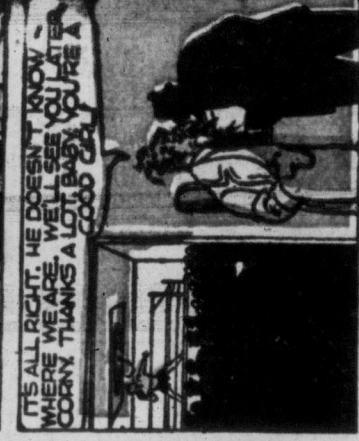
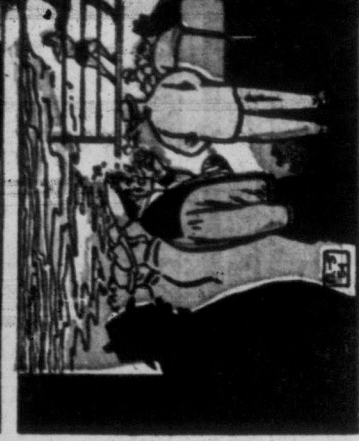
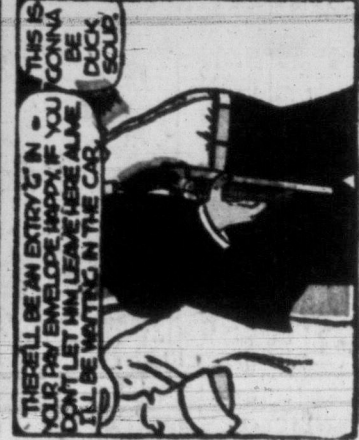
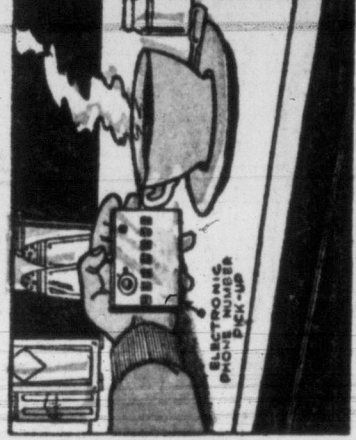
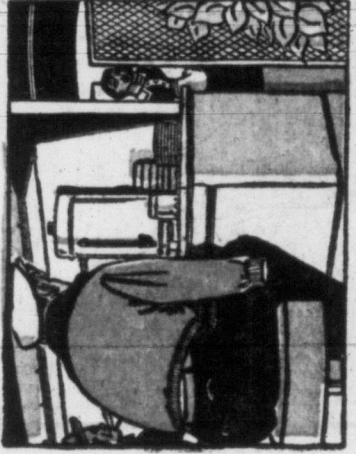
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## BETWEEN TIMES

By MONTE ROBERTS

In the current issue of Reader's Digest is an article entitled "We Revived the Lost Art of Calling."

And subtitled "Unexpected visits often result in unexpected rewards."

This article is a threat to mankind.

In the past, I have had nothing but respect for Reader's Digest, even going along with its quaint dictum that no wine, beer, or spirits advertisements be published in the U.S. edition, but the same are okay in the Canadian edition. (Twenty full-page ads in the current issue, to be exact.)

However, this is a simple matter of let not thy left hand, etc., and need not concern us.

But I do feel Reader's Digest has, in the above-mentioned article, overstepped the mark, and may plunge millions of families into chaos.

For Reader's Digest is suggesting to its 17½ million readers that they, too, should revive the lost art of calling. Reader's Digest paints a glowing picture of the joys of dropping in, unexpectedly, on friends and acquaintances. Bringing with you all your children!

The Digest article scornfully dismisses the idea of telephoning first, before dropping in. Presumably, this would give the prospective hosts too much of a sporting chance to get away.

In case you are not one of the 17½ million who absorbed the full text of the article in question, permit me a small quotation:

"... what greater reward could be had than Maggie's spontaneous words when we came upon her and (husband) Jim listlessly playing Scrabble on a quiet Sunday afternoon? 'We were just saying how much we'd like to see you,' Maggie said."

I admit I have never met this Maggie. But I venture to say she is an unmitigated liar, no doubt justifying prevarication on the grounds of diplomacy.

In the first place, if she and her husband were playing Scrabble (even listlessly), it is unlikely they would be saying how much they'd like to see someone else.

In the second place, if they were so listless about Scrabble, why didn't they try cribbage? When you're playing cribbage, you don't go around saying you'd like to see anything other than the card jack for a 29 hand.

In the third place, any husband and wife blessed with a quiet Sunday afternoon with nothing they HAVE to do... should count their blessings.

And, finally, if Maggie really wanted to see these invaders, she'd have darn well called 'em up and said come on over.

Reader's Digest—you have done an irreparable harm. I only hope that at least 17 million of your 17½ million readers pay no attention to you.

## TOPICS OF THE TIMES

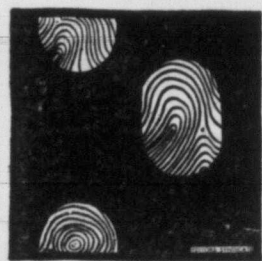
The Legion of Frontiersmen will hold their Christmas party at 7 tonight in McEwen's banquet hall.

Guest of honor will be the mayor, the provincial commandant and quartermaster of the Legion, and leading civic officials.

W. R. Kent, president of Hermes Lodge, Vancouver, will discuss "Science and Physic Development" at a meeting of the Besant Lodge of the Theosophical Society at 904 Government Street at 8 p.m. Sunday.

The city's newly formed Garden Council, consisting of representatives from various flower clubs, is considering establishing a "flower calendar" tying in with local flower shows. C of C directors heard Friday. Tourist trade group chairman Bob Nelles made the report.

## DROODLES



If you don't understand this Doodle, what you see are the piccolo player's finger tips covering up the little holes in the piccolo. It's Doodles like that cause Trouble Makers to write me letters saying I am "coo-coo." I do not appreciate these letters. I am not "coo-coo." These are the same type of Wrong Thinkers who always yell "Shush!" in movies when I'm explaining the psychological points of the plot to the girl whose way I paid. Or who rap on the door of a telephone booth when I'm trying to catch a quick cat nap. If you ask me, they are the ones who are "coo-coo" and they should be watched.

FROM INSIDE PICCOLO.

Ottawa's Air Transport Board will give final consideration to Vancouver Island Helicopters Ltd. application for a commercial license to operate from here next Tuesday, December 7, it was learned today.

It should be known soon after whether VIL Ltd. will swing into operation from Patricia Bay.

Mrs. W. Cross, 720 Selkirk Street, won several awards with her entries at the annual Roller Cany Club show held in Vancouver recently.

Her canaries took first prize in the amateur old bird class and placed third in the amateur breeder team. One bird won a cup for a "four special."

Christmas gifts and greetings to the United States should be in the mail by next Wednesday, Dec. 8, to ensure delivery, R. F. Reid, Victoria postmaster, said today.

He points out this deadline applies particularly to parcels, which require examination at the United States customs.

George Rosman, 34, 2213 Oregon Street, was sentenced to three months in jail for assault when he appeared in city police court Friday.

He was remanded Thursday after pleading guilty to striking a girl who testified she had come here from a coastal Indian village to get her mother. The mother was apparently staying with the accused.

Court heard Rosman's record read in court today. It included convictions for robbery with violence, breaking and entering and theft and assault.

## MONDAY MEETINGS

Engineering Institute of Canada, Vancouver Island branch: Loughheed's Banquet Hall, Douglas Street, 6:30 p.m. Speaker: Dr. L. A. Wright.

Capital City Speakers' Group: Victoria City Council Chambers, 6 p.m.

Toastmasters "Thunderbird": No. 369: McEwen's Restaurant, 6 p.m.

Dale Carnegie Club International: Chamber of Commerce Board Rooms, Wharf Street, 7:45 p.m. Wal Angus Trophy competition.



**AN HISTORIC MILESTONE** in B.C.'s political history is marked with removal of the sign from the door of Labor and Conservative members' rooms in the Legislative Buildings. Speaker of the House Thomas Uphill, right, watches workman Dave Tyson take down the sign, which led to office of Dr. Larry Giovando, Nanaimo-The Islands, who resigned from the Tory Party after the Vernon rebellion last summer. Dr. Giovando has announced he will sit as an independent. It will be the first occasion since B.C.'s Legislature went on party lines at the turn of the century that the House has been without Conservative representation. "Labour" sign leads way to office of Thomas Uphill, Fernie.

## SAANICH ELECTIONS

### Co-Operation New Keynote

Five Council Candidates Will Sketch Platforms at Public Meeting Monday

By HUMPHRY DAVY

Saanich municipal electioneering began today as five candidates running for three vacant council seats on Dec. 11 fired the opening shots of their political campaigns.

Most outstanding feature of this year's campaign is the platform of co-operation with other municipalities of Greater Victoria on matters of "general public interest."

While opposed to amalgamation, these candidates feel Saanich should co-operate with other municipalities on such matters as parks and recreation, public library and regional planning. They believe this is important in view of the municipality's fast-growing population, which they claim, is already creating problems and costing the taxpayer money.

All candidates will express their views at a public meeting to be held at St. Luke's Hall at 8 p.m. Monday. The Saanich Voters' Association is sponsoring the meeting.

Here is a brief outline of the candidates' platforms. They include:

#### Oppose Secrecy in Municipal Business

Mr. Robert Fleming—Sawmill shipper, elected for a one-year term last year, who strongly opposed the B.C. Electric plan to erect high-voltage lines on steel towers through residential areas, said he was against "closed" council meetings which involved public matters.

He is also strongly against Saanich severing its connection with the Victoria Public Library, is opposed to the establishment of a race track at Beaver Lake and supports town planning and the development of playgrounds.

Mr. Fleming also said the council should plan ahead for the construction of a sewage plant. "Many districts a few years hence will want sewage service and to date we have made no provisions to deal with the problem," he explained. "The present sewage system is now working to capacity and is not capable of servicing other districts."

Harold Todd, post office employee, also said he was concerned with the sewage problem and the present project and definitely wanted to investigate the matter.

He supports the construction of more sidewalks for school children, and mentioned the new Lansdowne School in particular. He felt the municipality could not afford to discontinue its library services. He said the differences should be negotiated with the city and not made a "political football." An effort should be made to form a regional library, he added.

#### Advocates Metropolitan Park Board

Formation of a Greater Victoria Parks Board, similar in setup to the Greater Victoria Water District, was also advocated by Mr. Todd, for the eventual development of Thetis Lake and Elk Lake. "We lack fresh water swimming places and these two areas should be preserved for the public," he said.

Reginald Pring, employee for the Department of National Defense, said he thought Saanich was paying too much for the services of the Victoria Public Library. "The public thinks it is only paying \$2 a year, he said, but we are actually paying more than that, over \$18,000 out of general revenue."

Mr. Pring was in favor of a new library contract with the city.

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## Tenders Being Called For \$2 Million Jobs

### Navy Construction To Start Next Year

Tenders now being called by Defense Construction Ltd. for naval establishments at Esquimalt and Victoria are expected to total close to \$2,000,000.

Work on most is expected to start early in 1955. The projects are all part of the long-term expansion program for the navy here, and some have been announced previously.

Biggest unit is the reinforced concrete stores building for the RCN Supply Depot, which may cost more than \$1,000,000. Early in January, defense Construction Ltd. is expected to call tenders on a petty officers' mess hall, to cost an estimated \$500,000.

New tenders are now being called for two steel buildings at HMCS Venture, the officer-training establishment at HMCS Dockyard.

Officials at Ottawa are now processing bids on remodeling the old red brick customs house on Wharf Street, at the foot of Broughton, for the use of HMCS Malahat, the reserve training establishment here. Contract will be awarded soon.

Five tenders were submitted, McKinty & Sons being lowest with \$66,171. The other bids ranged up to \$70,000.

S. Patrick Birley, Victoria architect, is working on plans and specifications for navy buildings marked "rush," but could not release details of the projects.

### City Youth Arrested in Car Thefts

A city youth was arrested and charged with car theft early today following an Island-wide alert by Ladysmith RCMP. Frank Parham, about 20, 1012 North Park, pleaded not guilty to the charge in city police court and was remanded to next Thursday.

Police said three cars had been taken in the space of two days by a young man.

Pilmley Motors said a man who said he was from Langford, took a 1947 model sedan for a 20-minute trial run Thursday. He never came back.

Friday, National Motors called police. They said a man had driven the missing '47 sedan to their lot, then driven away for a "trial run" in a 1950 model. Once again, he never came back.

At 2 a.m. today, Ladysmith RCMP found the National Motors car and questioned a suspect in a cafe. The man eluded the police after questioning. He then stole another car two miles south of Ladysmith.

Ladysmith spread an immediate alarm and Parham was picked up as a suspect as he drove through Goldstream at about 5 a.m.

In court today Parham was charged with theft of a car from National Motors Friday. He elected for trial in city court.

### BIGGER GALLERY PLANNED —IF CENTRE CAN FIND MONEY

The Arts Center of Greater Victoria advisory board is considering a \$35,000 extension to existing facilities, board chairman E. W. Arnott said Friday.

He told Chamber of Commerce directors that the extension would be fireproof to allow class A exhibitions which cannot now be handled, and that it was hoped to help build this fund by sustaining memberships in the centre. He said also it was hoped to get a portion of the Carnegie endowment such as Vancouver now receives for its arts centre.

Of the city's non-support financially of the centre here, Bob Nelles said it was "a matter of strong prejudice."

Chamber directors threw out a resolution that they advocate the centre be sponsored by a local service club, but backed its continued operation.

By STAN DAVISON



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## PRETTY PIANIST

### Music's Grandeur Fills Empty Rooms

By TONY DICKASON

In a Newport Avenue home today, empty except for a Steinway piano and bench, sits a brilliant Canadian pianist.

The full cadences of Beethoven's Third Piano Concerto in C Minor roll grandly from under small white hands which have fluttered their way to acclaim throughout the world.

"It's just like playing to an empty hall," laughed Margaret Ann Ireland in her throaty low voice. "Friends gave me the empty house to practice in before my concert here. Nice of them, isn't it?"

Miss Ireland is 26, but she looks more like a 19-year-old, and even to a non-music lover, she's worth noticing.

She plays here Sunday afternoon and Monday evening at the Royal Victoria Theatre as guest artist with the Victoria Symphony Orchestra.

A generous little lady with dark eyes and black hair, her home is in Saint John, N.B., where hubby is a lawyer.

"But doesn't he object to all your tours?"

"He is very good about it all, but he still cracks the whip."

And how long does your concerto take, Miss Ireland?

"Goodness, I've never thought of it, a half hour, three-quarters of an hour, maybe."

She flies from here to Toronto Tuesday for a lecture-recital, then back to Saint John for Christmas.

Orchestral portion of the program includes a Rossini overture, Dvorak's Scherzo Capriccioso, Butterworth's Orchestral Rhapsody and Freedman's "A Shropshire Lad," and Nocture for Orchestra.

Her performance here, at which she will play the Beethoven concerto, is her first in Victoria. It is the same piece with which she made her debut in Toronto 10 years ago under the baton of Sir Ernest Macmillan.

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Can a person make a living in Canada today as a "good hack" pianist, Miss Ireland?

"I've never heard that expression before. But in this highly competitive field and age, I don't think there is room for anything but the best."

In the old days, Miss Ireland, outstanding musicians established themselves; now do you think that there may now be a few Bachs, Beethovens or Brahms playing trumpet in a corner beer joint who are just not recognized?

"If talent is there, it will come out," she said firmly.

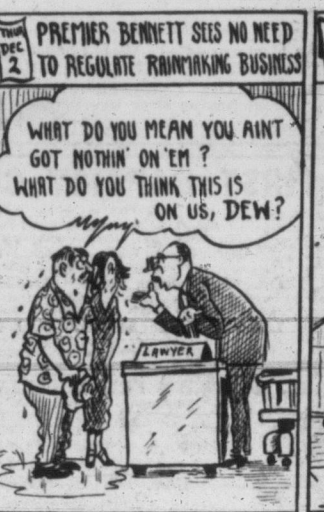
#### AUDIENCE LARGER

Artistically healthy signs of Canada's growing appreciation of music culture were "larger audiences everywhere who know what is going on."

Miss Ireland said she had no favorite compositions, as such, but found "a continual reward" in Beethoven, and "I can't let a day go by without playing Bach." When not traveling she practices about five hours daily, and when en route to various cities "anywhere I can."

"They tell me I was picking out nursery tunes at the age of three, but of course I don't

## HEADLINES OF THE WEEK



Anyone wishing a question answered is invited to send the problem along to The Times, addressed to "Ask The Times" Editor. Questions and answers will be published daily.

All questions should deal with matters of fact and be of general interest. The Times does not undertake to solve conundrums.



## The Church Page

It is not easy to take issue with a feminine member of the staff of the Times, and particularly one so charming and gentle as Ruth Enke, who is building herself an enviable readership among discerning people... but take issue we must.



Whitaker

Ruth has fallen into a common trap for columnists, known to newspapermen as the "straw man" technique. It consists of setting up a hypothetical character (preferably one detested by most people) and then knocking the stuffing out of it. She did it in her "Mrs. Grundy" column of some weeks ago, and last week she picked up Saturday Night's straw clergyman and gave him a sort of second-hand kicking around.

Judging from her parting shot at the clergy, her purpose was to make someone angry enough to reply.

This is not written in anger, but on behalf of some fine people who are puzzled and hurt.

### There Just Isn't Any Mrs. Grundy

There just isn't any Mrs. Grundy in the image which Ruth Enke paints. It is true that there are women—and men—who hold strongly to principles which many people feel to be narrow, but far from imposing their views on others they are almost desperately engaged in trying to hold what ground they have. As has been pointed out here before, the move on liquor came from those who wanted outlets. It was not a move to restriction; the move for national lotteries does not come from Mrs. Grundy, nor the move to sell beer in grocery stores.

Those interests which want restrictions relaxed invariably claim that opponents "are trying to impose narrow-minded views." It is disappointing to find Ruth numbered with these.

### How Do Ministers Get Narrow?

The Saturday Night editorial, after castigating the clergy who have "little time for feeding faith in the Eternal" uses the very phrase "striving to impose their narrow views of morality on the minority." This is the stock argument of those who hit out at the church. Let's examine it.

How do clergy—and others—come by those "narrow views of morality?"

Well, one short cut to understanding is to undertake to teach a Sunday school class, or a Bible class, or even a day school class.

What would you teach a group of boys or girls about liquor? About sweepstakes? About much of the material they read in comic books, or see on TV? What would you tell them about these things (keeping in mind that these are not your own children, and that many of them get little or no moral instruction of any kind at home)?

The questions children ask can bring you face to face with "narrow-minded" principles rather abruptly, and you begin to realize that you have spent much of your lifetime deliberately avoiding any conviction whatever.

Can a person who has the character of children as his responsibility recommend "social" drinking or "a few small sweepstakes" or a broad liberal outlook on boy and girl relationships?

And if he must commit himself on these things for the sake of his own children, can he then go out among his fellows and take some other stand, for the mean little glory of being "broad-minded?"

### Many Kinds of Men in the Church

There are ministers of God who win friends and influence people by means of the odd drink at the club, and there are others who find it hard to be civil to the social drinker in their flock.

Ministers and priests are men like other men, their intellect and personality on the average little different from that of the plumber or the painter, but they are required in this name, to stand for morality.

That stand makes big men appear to be bigger and small men appear smaller. The qualities in the despised preacher which bother Ruth Enke and Saturday Night are not properly identified with the principles of life and living, but with personality. No great man of the church ever compromised with principle.

Let's not hit out at the teaching of principles. If the big, responsible people in this lovely land will not arrive at a personal conviction on questions of principle—then the least they can do is stop sniping at those who are trying to do the job.

## 3 United Churches Report on Projects

### Extension Committee Hears Boards From Garden City, Brentwood, Langford

Victoria Presbytery extension committee heard encouraging reports about various local building projects when the United Church body met this week under the chairmanship of W. T. Straith.

Rev. E. J. Staley gave a report on extension for Garden City area. With a suitable lot purchased, and a growing building fund, it is planned to proceed in early spring with the erection of a building to seat about 250 and provide ample Sunday school facilities.

George Moody and Alex Cuthbert reported for the Brentwood area. Services being held in the Women's Institute Hall are well attended and plans are in hand to erect a building in the near future. A suitable lot has been acquired.

J. C. Nimmo and Rev. H. P. Davidson presented plans for the proposed church at Langford. An excellent lot has been purchased, situated on the Island Highway at Florence Lake Road. A successful local canvass has been made and these funds, together with assistance from the extension and the home mission committee, are sufficient to provide for the erection of the first unit of a building with seating capacity of approximately 250.

### ST. BARNABAS TO PRESENT NATIVITY

The St. Barnabas Players are giving their annual presentation of "The Nativity" play on Tuesday through Friday, December 14-17, at 8 p.m., and on Sunday, December 19, at 3 p.m. for children. As "The Nativity" forms part of the worship of St. Barnabas in preparation for Christmas, the play is performed in the church. There is consequently no charge, but as seating is limited, it is necessary to obtain a program to ensure admission. Programs may be obtained from Mrs. C. Norman, 3-1603, before December 6. Between December 6 and 11 a limited number can be procured from the Marionette Library.



ST. ALBAN'S CHURCH HALL. WADE, STOCKHILL, KARMOUR, ARCHITECTS

**ST. ALBAN'S NEW HALL.** This is architect's sketch of what proposed St. Alban's Church Hall will look like. New hall is being designed by Wade, Stockhill and Armour, and is expected to cost in the neighborhood of \$30,000. Construction is slated to begin next spring. Present hall, formerly an auditorium at Oaklands School which was

taken over by the church in 1936, has been condemned by fire marshal. New building will serve as Sunday school and community centre. Current drive for \$10,000 to help finance building is drawing to close. Contributions may be forwarded to the minister, Rev. W. E. Greenhaigh, 1500 Holly Street.

## NEWS OF CITY CHURCHES

### Swedish Baritone To Be Heard In Two Sacred Concerts Here

Swedish baritone Carl Olivebring will sing sacred music at two concerts, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week, in Glad Tidings Tabernacle, North Park Street.

Mr. Olivebring has been in America for several months as a special soloist at conventions and evangelist meetings. His concerts here will start at 8 p.m. and are open to the public.

After an absence of several weeks, Dean Beattie will return to Christ Church Cathedral tomorrow morning, when he will be preacher at Choral Eucharist at 11 a.m. During his absence he attended, in Toronto, the fall sessions of the executive council of the General Synod of the Anglican Church in Canada.

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## Vic West United Celebrates 65th Birthday

### Rev. Laura Butler Sunday Speaker

On Sunday Victoria West United Church will celebrate the 65th year of its founding.

At 11 a.m., Rev. E. Laura Butler of Metropolitan United Church will preach on the theme, "The Stewardship of Life." Mrs. Mary Youson, daughter of a former minister, Rev. H. J. Armitage, and Mrs. Armitage, will sing.

Gordon Mitchell, clerk of the session, will read a brief history of the church during the service. Flowers will be in memory of the late Charles Mitchell, who was an official in the first church built in 1890, and of Mrs. Sarah Ann McKel.

### CHRISTADELPHIAN

On Tuesday evening, Dec. 7, the anniversary dinner will be served in the church hall. Rev. E. F. Church, former minister of Metropolitan United Church, will speak on "Something Your Tape Measure Will Not Go Round."

A cordial invitation to share in this anniversary has been extended to members of the community.

### METROPOLITAN UNITED CHURCH

Rev. E. F. Church, B.A., D.D., Minister. Rev. E. Laura Butler, B.A., S.T.B., Assistant Minister. Mr. Charles Palmer (M.A. Oxon), 11:00 a.m.—Sacrament of Infant Baptism

"THE WORD THAT COMES TO LIFE" Solo: "I Will Extol Thee"—Costa Mrs. F. J. Keller Anthem: "O How Amiable"—Vaughan Williams

"WHAT CHRIST ASKS" Solo: "The Character of God Is With Men"—Michele Mr. Les Harnsworth Anthem: "O How Amiable"—Gardiner Dr. F. E. H. James at both services

Church School: Intermediate and Senior, 9:45 a.m.—11:00 a.m.—Beginners, Primary, Kindergarten, Nursery WE WELCOME VISITORS

### First United Church

Corner Quadra St. and Balmora Rd. Rev. M. A. J. Waters, B.A., D.D., Minister. Rev. Frank Johnson, B.A., Assistant Minister

Mr. and Mrs. J. Roberto Wood, Director, Music. LLOYALTY SUNDAY 11:00 a.m.—"Alas, for it Was Borrowed!"

Rev. M. A. J. Waters "Faith and Superstition" Rev. Frank Johnson

Sunday School—Intermediate and Senior Departments 9:45 a.m.—Junior, Primary, Kindergarten, Nursery Departments (11-11) 11:00 a.m.—This Church is filled with HEAVENLY AIMS ALL ARE WELCOME

### Fairfield United Church

Fairfield and Moss Minister: Rev. Tom Haythorn, B.A. Music Director: Rodney Webster, A.R.C.T. Organist: Mrs. Rodney Webster, L.R.S.M.

11 a.m.—"Bethlehem Steel" Soloist: Mrs. N. W. Seidley Anthem: "The Lord's My Shepherd" (Ormond) (Descant—R. Webster)

7:30 p.m.—"External Life" Soloist: Mrs. W. E. Ireland Anthem: "The Day Is Past and Over" (Brexit)

Sunday School, 9:45 a.m. VISITORS WELCOME

### Oak Bay United Church

Granite and Mitchell Minister: Rev. M. P. Pearson, M.A., D.D. Director of Music: Vera Barclay

"What Manner of Man Is This?" 11:00 a.m.—"The Rock That Is Higher Than I" 9:45 a.m.—Senior School—Grade 4

11:00 a.m.—Beginners and Primary—4 Years to Grade 2

Belmont Avenue United (Cor. of Belmont Ave. and Pembroke) Minister: Rev. M. P. Pearson, B.A., D.D. 11:00 a.m.—"Other Little Ships" 7:30 p.m.—"What Is Going on in China?"

Wednesday, 7:45 p.m.—Midweek Gospel Service

### VICTORIA WEST UNITED CHURCH

Cor. Fullerton and Bayner 65th Anniversary Sunday, Dec. 5, at 11:00 a.m.

Rev. E. Laura Butler, B.A., S.T.B. "The Stewardship of Life" Dinner on Tuesday, Dec. 7 at 6:30—Speaker, Rev. E. F. Church "Something Your Tape Measure Will Not Go Round" Soloist: Mrs. Tate

St. Aidan's United Church Richmond and Cedar Hill Crossroads Minister: Rev. J. Lynn Gierbach Organist: Choir Leader, Margaret M. Vaughan, L.R.S.M. Mus. O. (Paed) 9:45 a.m.—Sunday School 11:00 a.m.—"IT IS WRITTEN" 7:30 p.m.—"THAT MAN AIDAN" The Minister Will Preach

Centennial United Church George Road near Government Street Minister: Rev. Douglas B. Carr, B.A., D.D. Director of Music: Peter Copeland Organist: Margaret Wilmshurst

11:00 a.m.—Series "Roads Which Lead to Christmas" 7:30 p.m.—Series "What Can Protestants Believe?" 6: "About a Day of Judgment" Rev. Douglas B. Carr at both services 11:00 a.m.—Sunday School and Nursery ALL ARE WELCOME



**Gen. Pearkes Speaks Tonight at Mill Bay** Major-General G. R. Pearkes, VC, MP, will address a meeting of Esquimalt-Saanich federal Progressive Conservatives at Mill Bay Hall tonight. Members from all parts of the riding are expected to attend. Mill Bay Hall is near the entrance to the Solarium, off the Island Highway.

### Victoria Prayer Group

(Un denominational) HEALING STUDIES Wednesday, Dec. 8, at 2 p.m. CHRIST CHURCH MEMORIAL HALL OPEN TO ALL

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(Now Worshipping in the Norway House) 1110 Hillside Avenue SUNDAY SCHOOL: 1:30 p.m. SERVICES: 2:30 and 7:30 p.m. "No man has a right to do as he pleases unless he pleases to do right." Pastor: Rev. M. Westmacott. 2-6324

### First Church of Christ, Scientist

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SUNDAY SERVICES 11:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. Subject: "God the Only Cause and Creator"

SUNDAY SCHOOL 11:00 a.m. TESTIMONIAL MEETING Wednesday, 8:00 p.m. FREE PUBLIC READING ROOM AND LENDING LIBRARY 628 View Street

ALL ARE WELCOME "The Monitor Views the News" Over KEX, 1200 kc. Every Tuesday at 9:45 p.m.

How Christian Science Heals "THE GREAT THINGS PRAYER CAN DO" CKMO-1414 kc. Sunday, 8:45 a.m. KFR-950 kc. Sunday, 9:00 a.m.

### Church of Our Lord

REFORMED EPISCOPAL Humboldt and Blanshard Streets Rev. J. O. Brown, M.A., D.D. 11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion and Sermon 7:30 p.m.—Evening Song and Sermon "Be Prepared for the Best as Well as the Worst"

### CHRISTADELPHIAN

Christadelphian Hall Blanshard at Kings Public Lecture, 7:30 p.m. Subject: "THE HOPE OF ETERNAL LIFE" Morning Meeting, 11:00 o'clock Sunday School 9:45 a.m. You Are Sincerely Welcome

### Free Methodist Church

1628 Cook Rev. J. Campbell, 2-1535 9:45 a.m.—Sunday School Hour SPECIAL SERVICES with REV. R. T. ROOT Seattle, Wash. District Superintendent 11:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. A Friendly Singing Church

### BRITISH ISRAEL WORLD FEDERATION

Victoria Office and Book Room (Room 2, 734 Port St. Phone 4-7081) Tuesday, Dec. 7, 8:00 p.m. NEWSTAD HALL, 734 Port Street Speaker: MR. JOHN GIBBLE of Vancouver Subject: "MADON OF THE FERN WOLF" (Illustrated with colored slides) Tune Station CJOR (600) every Sunday at 12:45 p.m. for broadcast by REV. E. J. SPRINGETT

### Kingdom Ministry (British-Israel)

Leader: MR. A. A. FRYER Pianist: MRS. KLINGLE Speaker—Mrs. Alice Cressall Subject—"Sons of God—Bond Servants of Jesus Christ" Sunday, 7:30 p.m., Newstead Hall, 734 Port Street

### Victoria Christian Business Men's Committee

Sunday Afternoon at 3 o'clock Presents Christian Film Showing Two Films: "The Way He Should Go" "God's Wonders on the Farm" At McEwen's (Terry's), Cor. Fort and Douglas

### Victoria Truth Centre

"There is a solution to every problem." Minister: Rev. Emma M. Smiley 11:00 a.m.—"The Legend of the Christmas Candle" 7:30 p.m.—"The Legend of the Christmas Tree" Tuesday, 3:00 p.m.—Special Healing Service Wednesday, 8:00 p.m.—The Ten Commandments, Thou Shalt Not Bear False Witness Thursday, 3:00 p.m.—Prosperity Meeting 1201 FORT STREET

### ALLIANCE GOSPEL TABERNACLE

REV. C. R. ALTON, Minister 8:45 a.m.—Sunday School for the Entire Family 11:00 a.m.—Subject: "The Blessings of Justification" 7:30 p.m.—Guest Speaker: Miss Muriel Jennings Returned missionary from the land of India. Colored slides will be shown of the work in the field. 8:45—After Church Singing and Fellowship Hour Meet your friends at this informal time of fellowship. The Friendly Church with the Hearty Welcome

### GLAD TIDINGS TABERNACLE

817 N. Park St., 115 Blocks East of Hudson's Bay Store Rev. C. R. Smith, Minister—The Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada 9:45 a.m.—Sunday School—A Class for Everyone 11:00 a.m.—Communion and Missionary Meeting 7:30 p.m.—"The Most Dangerous Word in the Bible" The pastor will speak in both services

### MR. CARL OLIVEBRING

Great Swedish Baritone Two Evenings Only Tuesday and Wednesday at 8:00 p.m. also

### MISS RUTH SPECTER

a Christian Jewess Tuesday to Sunday Miss Specter will speak briefly on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings. The major part of these evenings will be given to Mr. Olivebring. Thursday Friday and Sunday Miss Specter will speak on such subjects as: "The Jewish Passover" "The Day of Atonement" Jewish customs and their relationship to Christianity. Outstanding reports of Miss Specter's meetings have reached us from various places. YOU ARE WELCOME AT

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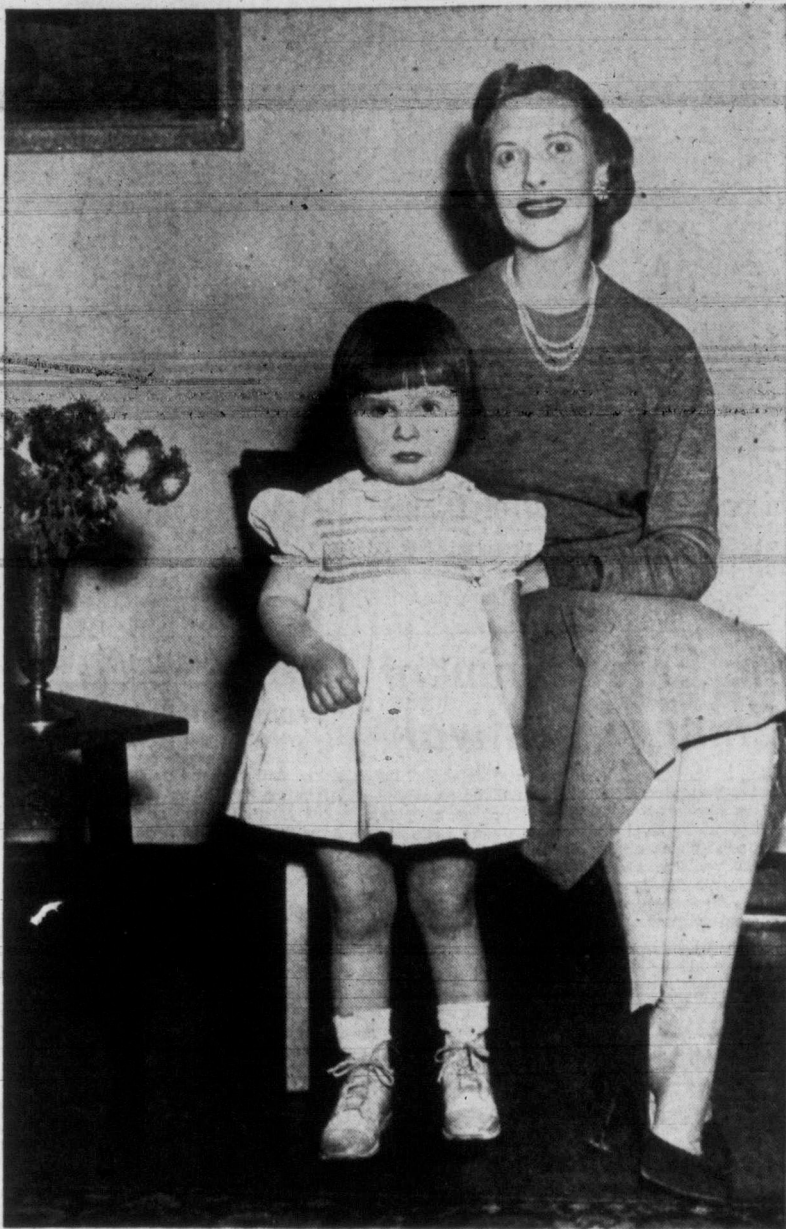
Quadra at Mason Rev. G. R. Master, B.A., B.Th., Pastor Mr. Oliver Stout, Organist and Choir Leader Church School, Senior and Junior, 10:00 a.m. Beginners and Primary, 11:00 a.m.

11:00 a.m.—"Why Jesus Came" (Broadcast Over CKDA) Soloist: Mr. Stanley Martin The Lord's Supper and Reception of Members 7:30 p.m.—"The Separate School Question" Soloist: Mr. A. M. Stoff The Church Where Everyone Sings

### ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Downtown—Douglas Street at Broughton Rev. J. L. W. McLean, M.A., D.D. Organist and Choirmaster: C. C. Warren, L.R.S.M., A.T.C.M. 11:00 a.m.—"THE FULLNESS OF TIME" 7:30 p.m.—"NEW TESTAMENT GIVING" REV. EDGAR FOREMAN, D.D. WE WELCOME VISITORS





A charming young family included among newer arrivals in the city are Mrs. H. MacDonald and two-year-old Sigrid Anne. They came to Victoria from Burnaby, B.C., recently with Dr. MacDonald and will be making their future home here. At present they are living at 811 Linkleas Avenue. Dr. MacDonald is now in partnership with Dr. F. M. Bryant. (Photo by Irving Strickland.)

# of interest to Women

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As the year draws to a close Victoria widens its family circle to include new friends come to make their future homes in the city. Engagements, too, still hold the spotlight, while fashions and fashion hints continue to intrigue feminine readers who are interested in being smartly well dressed.

Arranged By  
ELIZABETH FORBES  
Women's Editor



## IN STEP WITH STYLE

### Hats, Fur Coats, Dresses, Stoles, Suits Remake To Advantage if Basic Materials Are Good Quality

By NONA DAMASKE



Before . . .



After . . .

Make-do . . . make-over! It's the slogan of many a budget-minded woman, especially if she is in the habit of buying quality clothes to begin with. It's quality clothes that look smart for several seasons and that make-over into attractive seconds and thirds. That's why I feel I must say to those who have written asking questions about remaking . . . do not spend money on remodeling clothes of inferior fabrics or on remaking a garment which is in a color that is unflattering to you.

Right now, I'm having fun remodeling a dress and a hat. You're looking at the hat in the pictures above. It's ready now for early-evening parties during the holiday season. I bought that hat in 1948 and I thought it was wonderful then . . . but it went out of style. I kept thinking I should give it away to a rummage sale, but somehow, I didn't . . . and this autumn, I came across it again. It gave me ideas. Dorothy Tolmie, who is a whiz with millinery, remodeled it for me and now it's an up-to-the-minute cocktail hat. A fugitive from a rummage sale, no less!

The dress, a sheer wool with cape stole, while not entirely out of style, never did really suit me. There was plenty of fabric in the stole, so I had a smart jacket made with three-quarter sleeves and a tiny Peter Pan collar. I changed the dress with small covered buttons that follow one another all the way up the front of the dress and in adding a short peplum. Purchase of taffeta to line the jacket and the cost of remaking were well worth while, for now I have a really smart dress I will surely wear.

#### THE LETTER BOX

Mrs. E. M. J. had a black seal coat which she thought could be remodeled, but she wrote, "I just don't know where to begin." The fur was originally very good and had received excellent care . . . but the style was no longer flattering. The shoulders were heavily padded and were broad and raised and the coat was far too heavy.

My suggestion to Mrs. E. M. J. was to have the long straight body of the coat cut to fingertip length, which would make it lighter and give some fur for repairs. As her budget is very

limited, I also suggested that she take the coat to several fur shops and get estimates on the work planned.

Eventually she was able to have the work done for much less than the price of a new fur coat or even for a cloth coat. She reports the remake was "a huge success."

#### A SUIT GETS NEW LOOK

Mrs. L.K.M. wrote to ask me what she could do with a three-piece gabardine suit which "definitely needs an up-lift." This suit was basically good in style but the skirt was too short. There was not enough hem to rectify this trouble so I suggested a yoke would have to be added to the skirt. A matching fabric was needed so my next suggestion was to shorten the overcoat to a three-quarter length and use the extra coat fabric to make a new top for the skirt. Mrs. L.K.M. sews beautifully so she accomplished the remake without any extra cost.

May I suggest that you send in your letters . . . ask your questions . . . and if I can help you in any way . . . I will be only too pleased to do so.

Of interest in musical circles in Victoria and Up-Island is the engagement made known today of Miss Martha Lang Ferguson, 1419 Fort Street, only daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James N. Ferguson, Ladysmith, V.I., and Charles Norton Welch, son of Mrs. Winnie Welch, Langford, and the late Percy N. Welch. The bride and groom-elect are 1952 graduates of the Provincial Normal School and are teachers in Greater Victoria schools. Miss Ferguson at Oak Bay Junior High and Mr. Welch at Tillicum. The wedding will take place on December 20 at 8 p.m. in Metropolitan United Church with Dr. F. E. H. James officiating. Miss Ferguson has asked Miss Elizabeth Welch to be her maid of honor. Thomas Matheson will be best man. (Photo by Ken.)



Victoria is not new to Mrs. Collett, wife of Mr. B. R. Collett, a department manager in a well-known jewelry store in this city. As Miss Gayle Wakely she skated in the famed Ice Cycles show in this city about a year and a half ago. Now she is to be one of the city's young hostesses for she came from Vancouver a little over a month ago to join her husband and to make her home here. At present Mr. and Mrs. Collett are living at the Fort Harrison Apartments on Harrison Street.



SHOPPING GUIDE

# This Petal Petticoat To Keep Skirts Full . . .

By PENNY SAVER

With the full-skirted party dresses you'll be wearing during the festive season, you should have dainty petticoats . . . that's for sure. Latest in petticoat fashions is the "petal" petticoat. It's different from any I've seen before and I know you'll agree with me when I say it's pretty as a flower! Stiff and crisp, it is made of white paper nylon and will make your frocks stand out beautifully.

This petticoat flares from a smooth hipline just like any other petticoat you might own, but it's the hemline of it that's different. Instead of ruffles to add that extra widening at the lower edge of the skirt, this petticoat has large, rounded petals, which overlap each other, just as they would, were they on a flower.

Each petal is edged with narrow, red binding. Instead of having all white petals, you can buy a petticoat with white and red petals, alternately . . . white petals edged in red . . . red petals edged in white. Price of the petticoat is \$4.98.

If your little girl's dolly has lost most of its hair, why not buy it a new wig for Christmas? Nylon is a good bet, for

it's the nearest you can get to real hair and it is washable and curlable. In various colors and glamorous styles, the wigs of nylon are made in four layers. Prices range from \$1.95 to \$6.50, a wig of the latter price being large enough to fit the head of a small child.

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## BOY MEETS FAMILY TEEN ETIQUETTE

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First time a boy goes to a girl's home, he may have a few advance worries about how things will go. He wants to make a good impression, do what's expected. To know the correct routines helps him to glide through greetings, introductions, into smooth-talking.

Answers to the following questions, gathered from boys during Teen Etiquette discussions in high schools, ease the ordeal when BOY MEETS FAMILY.

1. If a girl invites you to a family or party meal at her house and says: "We'll eat at six," does that mean you should be there at six or earlier?

Ask her! If a girl is flustered and brushes you off with "Oh, any time," check again to ask about when you should be there. To know just when you are expected eases the entry. Arrive at the agreed time. To be a bit early is all right, if it took less time to get there than you expected. But if you are delayed for more than a few minutes, phone to say you are on the way.

2. Should the girl be at the door to greet you? YES, if you are expected at a pre-agreed time. To many boys this is very important. Girls agree in theory. But if your girl is not at the door, don't let this dim your sense of welcome. She might be in the kitchen for last-minute duty. Or maybe she dashed to her room to touch up the lipstick.

If someone strange to you comes to the door, just say: "I'm Johnny Doe, Mary's friend. Will you tell her I am here, please?"

Suppose her kid brother ushers you in, then vanishes. Far as you can hear, he has given nobody the word that you are there. You're left standing in the door. Should you roam around until you find the girl or somebody?

NO, stand by. If time drags on and there's no sign anybody knows you are waiting, ring the bell again.

3. What Do You Do With Your Top-coat After You're Indoors? Take it off. Wait for girl to show or tell you where to put it. If she forgets to make this gesture, ask what to do with it. Don't hand to girl to tote. It is not "protocol" for girl to take a boy's hat or coat. This "service" she reserves for older men who are family guests. Boy handles his own coat at arrival and departure.

Even if it is warm, you do not remove your suit coat until invited by someone in the family, or until you note that this is the custom in that home. Then do as you like.

4. When Girl Introduces You to Her Parents: "Mother, Dad, this is Johnny Doe," what do you say?

"How do you do" is always correct. It sounds less stilted if you add the name: "How do you do, Mrs. Jones," or the title: "How do you do, Sir." To say "Sir" to any older man, when introduced, and once in

awhile during conversation, raises your rating. There are areas and families in which "Ma'am" is in popular usage but by standard tradition, "Mrs." or "Miss" is more acceptable.

If introduced to a circle of people, flash-fast, you smile, nod, say "How do you do" to the group. To one your age or younger, you may breeze back: "Hi, Jean" or "Hello, Dick." You skip bright parrot-replies like "Glad to meetcha."

5. When Do You Shake Hands During Introductions?

The woman or the older person makes the first move, by formal rule. Often a man shakes a boy's hand. Hand-shaking in general is on the wane but will never go out of fashion, as symbol of hospitality and friendship, all over the world.

6. After Introductions, What Do You Do?

Wait until women and older people are seated before you sit down. Adults should give you the lead on conversation. To fill in, if there's an awkward silence, talk about what interests you and your girl—school and sport events, what's new around town, etc. Tell about your hobbies, activities, to give her family a chance to know the real you. Relax; you may be sure they want you to feel natural at home.

All these details are important to self-confidence but no cause for worry. It is said that 90 per cent of the things you dread, socially, never happen. Chances are almost 100 per cent.

Out-of-town guests at the Shields-Fletcher wedding Friday evening, were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fletcher, Miss Jean Fletcher, West Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. G. Fletcher, Fanny Bay; Mr. and Mrs. George Braithwaite, Mr. and Mrs. R. Baird, George and Maurice, Cobble Hill; Mr. and Mrs. G. Braithwaite, Mrs. L. Braithwaite, Mr. and Mrs. W. Braithwaite, Duncan.

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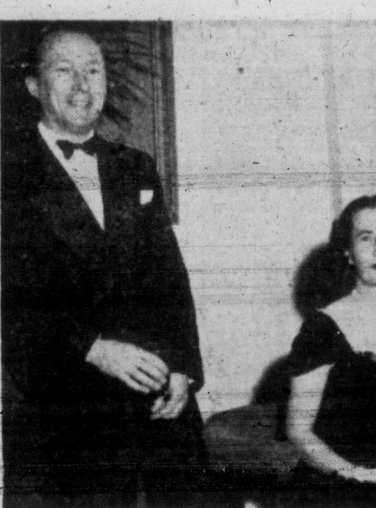
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Friday evening in the Empress Hotel, members of the Architectural Institute of British Columbia gathered for cocktails in the Georgian Lounge, followed by a buffet dinner and dance in the Crystal Ballroom. Among the younger architects present was Mr. Harry Lee, Vancouver, with Miss Daisy Chung.



Host for the evening was Mr. John H. Wade, Victoria, retiring president of the institute, and Mrs. Wade, at left.



The president-elect, Mr. J. L. Davies, and Mrs. Davies, of West Vancouver, are at the right.



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### Salt Spring Island Notes

Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. Desmond Crofton of Ganges, Salt Spring Island, wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Sylvia Ida, to Lieut. Arthur Leake Gale, PCCL, eldest son of Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. R. L. Gale, Vesuvius Bay, Salt Spring Island. The wedding will take place Wednesday, Dec. 15, at St. George's Church, Ganges.

Dr. and Mrs. D. G. Perry, Ganges, left this week for Vancouver, where they will spend the next two months.

Miss Sylvia Crofton will return to her home in Ganges this week-end after several days visiting in Victoria and Vancouver.

Mrs. G. A. Maude has returned to her home at Fulford Harbour after an extended trip to eastern Canada visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. MacWilliam, Scott Road, Ganges, returned to the island today after several days visiting in Victoria.

### Trio of Honor Guests

Three guests of honor were surprised Thursday evening by fellow employees of Vancouver Island Coach Lines Limited at the home of Mrs. Maisie Varcoe, 3319 Cook Street. Mrs. Irja Boden was presented with two Hummel figurines in recognition of her retirement from the company after 10 years' continuous service. Also sharing honors were two December brides-elect, Mrs. Grace Johnston and Miss Jennifer Turner, who were presented with corsages of red rosebuds. The rooms were decorated with yellow and bronze chrysanthemums as were tea and buffet tables. Presiding at the tea table were Mrs. M. Campbell and Mrs. D. Jossell, assisted by Mrs. M. Bateman. Games were played during the evening. Others present were Mrs. I. Boden, Mrs. G. Johnston, Mrs. S. Cosby, Mrs. M. Reid, Mrs. K. Brooks, Mrs. V. White, Mrs. L. Dunn, Mrs. M. Barni, Mrs. D. Sutcliffe, Mrs. K. Ferdinandsen, Mrs. M. Varcoe, Mrs. P. McRae, Mrs. M. Bardwell, Mrs. V. Arthur, Mrs. A. Arstad, Mrs. M. Williams, Mrs. I. Paterson, Misses J. Turner, H. Cochran, R. Collis, M. Whitmore, V. Clarke and J. Griston.

### Visiting From England

Dr. Kingsley Terry of London, Eng., is visiting his mother, Mrs. W. S. Terry, 19 Government Street, Mrs. Kingsley Terry, and her daughter, Anne, sailed from Liverpool, Eng., aboard the Empress of Australia last Wednesday, to join Dr. Terry here for the Christmas season.

### Here for Wedding

Out-of-town guests at the wedding of Miss Barbara Anne Rose to Mr. Philip Benjamin Bodman this afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. R. I. de Carteret, Olympia, Wash.; Mr. and Mrs. R. Tillyer, Seattle, Wash.; Mrs. G. F. Bodman, Barriere, B.C.; Miss Margot Young, Vancouver; Mrs. C. Baker and Mr. Alan Horth, Sidney, V.I.

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## Exotic Entertainment At Chinese Festival

At a meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Veterans' Hospital final plans were made for the Chinese Blossom Festival to be held afternoon and evening, next Wednesday, at the Club Sirocco. Mrs. Leslie Macdonell, president and Mrs. Wallace Courtney, general convener, reported.

The entertainment will be colorful and different, all in costume. In the afternoon, there will be many stalls and contests and a large "take-away supper" stall. Home-made teas will be served in the Continental Room.

In the evening there will be the famed Chinese girls' drill team, also Norwegian, Polish and Canadian western dances presented by the Canadian Folk Society with E. E. Livesey, vice-president of the Victoria branch, acting as master of ceremony.

There will be dancing, bingo, Chinese food and a giant auction by Art Roberts.

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## CLUB CALENDAR

Gonzales Chapter, IODE, Tuesday, 10.30 a.m., home of Mrs. N. F. Ferris, 1284 Beach Drive. . . . Women's Auxiliary, afternoon branch, St. Martin's-in-the-Field, annual meeting, parish hall, Tuesday, 2.30 p.m.

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### From San Francisco

Mrs. Arnold Ingram, the former Helen Baird of Victoria, left San Francisco by plane on Thursday for Vancouver where she will visit her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Baird. Mrs. Ingram will come to Victoria next Wednesday to be the guest of Lieut. Cmdr. and Mrs. Bruce McGregor until December 19 when she will leave to return to the south.

### Feted at Tea Hour

Mrs. R. T. Kipling and Mrs. Claudia Lister entertained at the Moss Street home of the former this afternoon at a shower tea honoring Miss Joan Hansen, bride-elect. Miss Hansen received a corsage of pink roses and gifts were in a decorated hat box. A corsage of red roses was presented to Mrs. Kenneth Reid, mother of the groom-elect, who presided at the tea table. It was centred by an arrangement of pale pink and white chrysanthemums, flanked by pink candles in silver candelabra. There were 20 guests.

Florence Nightingale Chapter, IODE, Monday, change of location, now to be held at home of Mrs. George Mellor, 1120 Oxford Street. Special tea to honor senior members.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Mahon, Bayview Road, have returned home from a short visit to Vancouver.

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### Circle Allots Money for Cheer

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### 50 Years of Service

The afternoon branch of Christ Church Cathedral Women's Auxiliary will celebrate 50 years of service Tuesday, with Holy Communion at 11 a.m. in the Cathedral, followed by a luncheon at 12:15 p.m. in the Memorial Hall.

St. Alban's Ladies' Guild, Tuesday at 2 p.m. at home of Mrs. A. Hampton, 2552 Victor Street.

Robert Burns McKicking Chapter, IOOE, Tuesday at 8 p.m. at home of Miss Christine MacNab, 159 Cook Street.

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### Canadian Club Officers Plan Annual Tea

Mrs. Gordon Wismer, seated in centre, president of the Women's Canadian Club, with Mrs. W. A. Trenholme, left; Mrs. Robert Wallace, right, and Mrs. R. D. Harvey and Mrs. Fred M. Corbett, standing, left and right, are very busy completing arrangements for the annual Christmas tea and program to be presented by the club in the Empress Hotel next Friday afternoon at 3. The tea, popular at this season of the year, will present a holiday theme.

### Barbara Anne Rose Lovely Bride In St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay

Yellow chrysanthemums were placed on the altar of St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, this afternoon, for the wedding of Barbara Anne Rose and Philip Benjamin Bodman. Yellow and white chrysanthemums flanked the chancel rails, and were arranged in baskets on the chancel steps.

Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunn, assisted by Rev. Hywel Jones, Colwood, conducted the ceremony for the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald F. Rose, 1199 Olive Street, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Cuthbert O. Bodman, Glen Lake. Traditional music was played by James Gerry, and the bride's father gave her in marriage.

White heavily-corded taffeta shimmered to floor-length, creating a wedding gown for the lovely bride. Boat-neckline was scalloped and sleeves were lily pointed. From the fitted waistline, the skirt flared into four godets. Her chapel-length veil of nylon tulle hung softly from the pleated head-dress which framed her face, and was caught at either side with clusters of orange blossoms. A gardenia surrounded by Johanna Hill and sweetheart roses and freesias formed her cascade bouquet and she wore a locket set with a circlet of seed pearls, which belonged to her mother.

Matron of honor, Mrs. Yvonne Bridge, and bridesmaid, Miss Phyllis Rose, sisters of the bride, were gowned identically in waltz-length dresses of frosted chryseum taffeta, iridescent in shades of forest green and blue. They were styled with scalloped necklines and bouffant, four-paneled skirts. Their head-dresses were half-circlets of yellow chrysanthemums and they carried cascading bouquets of the same flowers.

Junior bridesmaid, Miss Virginia Salmon, cousin of the bride, also wore dress of forest green and blue iridescent chryseum taffeta, but styled with puff sleeves. Little flower girl, Miss Rose Bodman, niece of the groom, wore a similar dress, but with very short skirt. Both carried bouquets of yellow chrysanthemums and wore head-dresses of the same fabric as their dresses.

Geoffrey Bodman, brother of the groom, was best man and ushers were Alan Bodman, brother of the groom, Rory Flanagan, Bert Gayle, Arthur Bridge and R. Jones.

At the reception in the lounge of the Oak Bay Beach Hotel, mother of the bride received guests, wearing an afternoon dress of beige crepe with chocolate brown accessories. Mother of the groom chose a dress of faillie taffeta with green, velvet cloche and tan accessories. Both wore corsages of cream roses.

Herbert P. R. Brown proposed the toast to the bride. A profusion of yellow chrysanthemums decorated the reception room and the four-tier wedding cake was cut with a silver knife, having a mother of pearl handle, which belonged to the bride's grandmother.

For traveling to Kamloops, B.C., where she and her husband will make their home, the bride donned a chocolate brown tailored suit with beaded Peter Pan collar, pale yellow velvet model hat with matching gloves and brown lizard shoes and handbag. She wore a corsage of Johanna Hill and sweetheart roses and a gardenia on her muskrat fur jacket.

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**CHRISTMAS BAZAAR**  
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 7th  
at 2:30 p.m., in the Church Hall, Yale Street  
STALLS OF ALL KINDS - TEA

### OF PERSONAL INTEREST

### Parties for Arts Centre Dance

Among those who plan to attend the informal Christmas dance at the Arts Centre next Friday are Lieut. Cmdr. and Mrs. D. M. Waters, who, with Mr. and Mrs. A. Sutherland Brown, will entertain at their home, Mount Joy Avenue, at a supper party preceding the dance. Attending will be Mr. and Mrs. Terence O'Grady, Mr. and Mrs. David Sinclair, Lieut. and Mrs. Brian Bell-Living, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Cross, Major and Mrs. Wayne King. Also entertaining with supper prior to the dance are Dr. and Mrs. R. S. Conn, Lampson Street; whose guests will be Dr. and Mrs. Ross McNeely, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Denny and Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Nelles will attend the dance with a party of eight, including Mr. and Mrs. Tony Emery, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Pinhorn, Miss Finola Duke and Mr. George Cook. Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bristowe, Dr. and Mrs. K. Greenwood and Mr. and Mrs. W. Bowden will be together and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Osborn are arranging a party which includes Mr. and Mrs. John Bell, Mr. and Mrs. David Sinclair, Lieut. and Mrs. Brian Bell-Living, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Cross, Major and Mrs. Wayne King. Also entertaining with supper prior to the dance are Dr. and Mrs. R. S. Conn, Lampson Street; whose guests will be Dr. and Mrs. Ross McNeely, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Denny and Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Anderson.

Dr. and Mrs. D. M. Boyd will be with Dr. and Mrs. John Harvey and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Gonnason and Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Siddall, with Mr. and Mrs. Derek C. Todd and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth E. Jackson. Among those going with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. V. Jermain will be Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Watt, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Swannell, and Mr. and Mrs. L. Fleury. Miss Elizabeth Molson will attend with a party of 12 and Mr. and Mrs. G. Nation with eight.

### To Spend Winter in Oklahoma

A four-month absence from the city is contemplated by Miss Dorothy Hearn, 2372 Zela Street, who will leave on Tuesday for Los Angeles en route to Oklahoma City, where she will spend the winter. Miss Hearn will visit for a few days in Los Angeles with a cousin and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. N. Benditsky. Mrs. Benditsky is known professionally as Muriel Kerr, and is a concert pianist who made her debut at 16 with the New York Philharmonic Orchestra. Mr. Benditsky was formerly a member of Toscanini's NBC Orchestra and is now a cellist with the Los Angeles Symphony. In Oklahoma City Miss Hearn will be the guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. R. Palmer Howard. Before returning to Victoria in April she will also visit in Salt Lake City. During Miss Hearn's absence Mr. and Mrs. C. Fleuron, who have just returned from an extended European tour, will live in her home.

### Christening in St. Mary's

The baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Angus will be named Jennifer Jane at a christening ceremony in St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, on Sunday afternoon. Rev. Hywel J. Jones will officiate and godparents will be Miss Mary Angus, Ottawa, for whom Mrs. Richard Angus will stand proxy, also Mrs. R. Kitchener and Mr. Gordon Whiting. Following the ceremony a tea has been arranged at the home of the parents on Ripon Road, the Uplands. The table will be arranged with white chrysanthemums and a christening cake. Mrs. T. M. Molliet will preside. Among those present will be the baby's maternal grandmother, Mrs. Hugh Wilson. The late Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Angus and the late Rev. Hugh Wilson, were also grandparents. The baby will wear a gown that is more than 100 years old.

### Attend Supper Dance

Among those dancing at the Empress Hotel Supper Dance this evening will be a party including Mr. and Mrs. A. MacPherson, Mr. and Mrs. William Dunbar and Mr. and Mrs. Don Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Callander will attend the dance and a table for four is reserved for Mr. and Mrs. Eric Winter and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Turnbull. Another couple planning to dance at the Empress this evening is Mr. and Mrs. C. Hutton.

### Tea at Empress Hotel

Miss Helena Hunkin, popular bride-elect, was guest of honor this afternoon when Mrs. W. H. Muncy entertained at the tea hour in the Empress Hotel. Miss Hunkin received a crystal bowl from the invited guests, Mrs. A. T. Hunkin, Mrs. George Guy, Mrs. Frances Firth, Mrs. W. H. Wilson, Mrs. S. H. Shaw, Mrs. Harry S. Jones, Mrs. Norman Sear and Mrs. Godefroy.

In Victoria for the wedding of Miss Ida Wilma Lenora Foster and Mr. John Einar Brynjolfsson, which takes place this evening in St. John's Anglican Church, are Miss Vera Stanley, Miss Nordene Stenmark, Mr. Philip Redford, Mr. Hugh Johnston, Vancouver; Mrs. G. Stenmark, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brynjolfsson, Duncan, and Mrs. William Kier, Youbou.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Poulsen, 111 Gorge Road, will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on Monday, when their family honors them with a supper party at CCF hall. There will be 100 guests. Mr. and Mrs. Poulsen were married in St. Paul, Minn., and have lived in Victoria for 13 years. They have one daughter and eight sons, Mrs. Thelma Medina, Mr. Barney Poulsen, Mr. Frezie Poulsen, Mr. Borge Poulsen, Mr. Evens Poulsen, Mr. Alex Poulsen, Mr. Reno Poulsen, Mr. Waldo Poulsen and Mr. John Poulsen. Mr. Frezie Poulsen, Oakland, Calif., is the only one unable to attend the party. Mr. and Mrs. Poulsen have 23 grandchildren.

A reception followed at the CCF hall where chrysanthemums were used to decorate tables. A three-tiered wedding cake embedded in turquoise tulle and flanked by white tapers centred the bride's table. J. E. Fletcher, the bride's uncle and godfather, proposed the toast. Mrs. Fletcher, mother of the bride, chose an aqua and black cocktail suit with peacock blue velvet hat and pink rosebud corsage. Assisting with the serving were Mrs. D. Krepps, Mrs. Leo Shields, Mrs. R. MacGillis, and the Misses Evelyn Martinich, Marion Martinich, Doreen Wells, Marilyn Bellamy and Phyllis Nicolson.

For her honeymoon trip the new Mrs. Shields wore a flamingo-knitted suit, winter white camel hair topcoat, white feather hat and navy accessories. Her corsage was of Johanna Hill roses. The young couple will make their home in Victoria.

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The bride, given in marriage by her father, was lovely in her wedding gown of white lace and net over satin. The lace bodice had a scalloped neckline dotted with seed pearls and lily-point sleeves and the skirt was of tiered net with inserts of lace.

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### Visitor From Eastern Canada

Mrs. Fred Walls, wife of the general manager and vice-president of T. Eaton Company, has spent the past few days in Victoria with her husband. They were staying at the Empress Hotel. It is six years since Mrs. Walls was in Victoria and she has been busy renewing acquaintances with her friends, among them Mrs. Vic Sutherland, who entertained in Mrs. Walls' honor. Today the visitors will return to Vancouver and on Monday will leave for their home in Montreal.



### Double-Ring Service In St. Mark's Church

Canon R. Willis conducted a double-ring wedding ceremony in St. Mark's Anglican Church, Friday evening, for Florence Eleanor Fletcher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Fletcher, Victoria, and William Gordon Shields, son of T. V. Shields, Black Diamond, Alta., and Mrs. Shields, Coxsfield, Alta.

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### Mill Bay Bazaar

A successful tea, bazaar and card party was held by the handicraft group, Mill Bay Community League, Friday afternoon and evening when a sum of \$235.65 was realized. It was reported that a donation of \$100 was made by Mrs. M. V. Allan, Cobble Hill.

Nursing Sisters, Branch, No. 152, at home of Mrs. R. Hogarth, 1021-A Carberry Gardens, Monday at 8.

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# ISLAND DIGEST

18 Victoria Daily Times SATURDAY, DEC. 4, 1954

## Vancouver Island Viewpoint

(From the Editorial Columns of Up-Island Newspapers)

### An Unexpected Dividend

THE LADYSMITH CHRONICLE

Now that the right-of-way is being cleared for the new stretch of the Trans-Canada Highway through this city, it is becoming apparent that the new route is going to pay an unexpected dividend. The new highway over much of its length will give an unobstructed and unusually fine view of Ladysmith Harbor.

The view will be a pleasing one at all seasons of the year. It will be a view of the harbor and the surrounding hills, a most interesting view because it will show the Comox Logging and Railway booming operations and all the related activities.

When it is considered that this will be the only stretch in many miles of the highway where motorists will get a good view of the water and one of the few, if not the only stretch which will give a good view of an Island industry, its value as a tourist attraction becomes immediately apparent. While it may not be the type of attraction which will cause many to stop over in the city, it will certainly cause them to pause and it will certainly help to make the name of Ladysmith more widely known across the continent.

### Gulf Islands Hospital

THE REVIEW, SIDNEY

The long, drawn-out campaign aimed at launching construction of a new Lady Minto Gulf Islands Hospital has been brought to a conclusion by the delivering of a petition to the doorstep of the minister of health and welfare. It will now be the responsibility of Hon. Eric Martin to assess the petition and study it carefully. If the minister finds that it does not reflect the wishes of a substantial majority of the property owners of the area, it is his right and privilege to throw it out. Conversely, if he ascertains beyond a shadow of a doubt that those who will pay the piper desire its construction, he can have no other course but to turn the green light on the project. That is democracy at work.

The campaign has been a long one—and frequently a bitter one. It is well that it has been brought to a conclusion. And whatever the minister's findings may be, now is the time for complete unanimity once again throughout the district affected. Hard feelings should be smoothed without delay and all should accept the final ruling in good spirit.

The district needs a new hospital. There has been almost complete agreement on that point. The main differences have been on the methods to be used in paying for the heavy construction costs. For any new construction these days is expensive business.

We hope that the minister will make his ruling known without delay and that it will be accepted in good part throughout the whole area.

### Meeting Spiritual Needs

THE COWICHAN LEADER

Construction of two new churches and the enlarging of a third, well-established church building this year in the Duncan area give rise to a feeling of quiet satisfaction that steps are being taken to meet the spiritual needs of our people.

Sunday was a happy day for the growing congregation of Duncan United Church. It witnessed the dedication of an addition capable of seating 100 people and of basement rooms for 100 pupils of a large Sunday school.

The original church on the same site was itself enlarged twice before making way for the modern stucco building, formally opened on Dec. 3, 1941, almost 13 years ago to the day.

On James Street, just beyond the city's northern border, volunteer workers have raised the Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church, which will be an addition to the religious life of the community. The third building is the First Christian Reformed Church on Trunk Road, into the building of which also have gone many hours of work by willing hands.

It is safe to predict that the religious growth of the district will not stop with these developments, with which New Canadians are prominently associated.

## New Radiophone Network Serves Island, North Coast

The largest radiotelephone network of its kind in Canada has been officially opened by Premier W. A. C. Bennett.

Four very high frequency radiotelephone chains, constructed by the Northwest Telephone Company to provide long-distance telephone facilities from Vancouver to widely-separated sections of B.C., were described by Mr. Bennett as "a significant addition to the telephone facilities of British Columbia."

### Langford School Students Raise \$221 at Bazaar

LANGFORD—A net of \$221.50 was realized Wednesday for a bazaar in Langford School at which goods made or supplied by pupils were sold to the public.

School principal Miss E. Ruth King, announcing the result Friday, said the money would be apportioned between the Junior Red Cross, other charities, and the starting of a general school fund.

The following were in charge of stalls:

Candy, Darleen Whitfield and Donald Beamish; home cooking, Kristin Goodmanson and Gary Roberge; pocket books, Dale Keown; plants, Carol Strachan and Jack Rent; lucky draw, Jutta Strelitz; miscellaneous, Adele Jones, Marjory Price and Gary Petrie. Tea servers were Audrey Skinner, Sharon Reece and Fay Reeves.

### DEEP-SEA SHIPS IN PORT

(MORNING POSITIONS)

Victoria (Ogden Point)—Ss. Agio Thalassini, Chemainus—Ss. Caprera, Vedby.

Alberni—Ss. Loch Dee, Champion.

Cowichan Bay—Ss. Merchant Duke.

Tahsis—Ss. Yamashita Maru.

OCEAN MAILS

Dec. 7—Ss. Oronsay, Fiji, Australia and New Zealand.

Dec. 13—Ss. Walmatata, New Zealand.

Dec. 14—Ss. Washington Mail, Japan, Hong Kong, Philippines.

Dec. 16—Ss. Oregon Mail, Japan, Hong Kong, Philippines.

## N. COWICHAN EXPECTS CUT IN REVENUE

Reeve Predicts \$11,000 Drop

N. COWICHAN—More complicated financing next year, because of a drop in sales tax revenue and effect of the Provincial Equalization Assessment Act, was forecast Friday by Reeve C. A. P. Morrison, addressing Quamichan Ratepayers' Association of North Cowichan Municipality.

The reeve said first sales tax payment of the year was down 7 per cent from last year, "and the next and final payment for the past year will show a bigger drop."

He predicted a drop in sales tax revenue from last year's \$91,000 to a estimated \$80,000. Effect of the new assessment act, he said, would be to bring lower taxes for residential properties and higher taxes for commercial properties.

"Do not expect another decrease in taxes in 1955," he warned.

### ASSESSMENT JUMP

He said residential assessments would be raised 28 per cent and commercial assessments 54 per cent under the new act.

He forecast a big drop in school taxes for Chemainus ratepayers of the municipality owing to the doubling of the Ladysmith residential assessments and tripling of their commercial assessments in the same school district, No. 67.

North Cowichan residents in Cowichan School District 65, the second school district into which the municipality is split, would probably find school taxes about the same as last year.

"Planning, patience and progress are the watchwords for 1955," said the reeve, concluding a detailed review of municipal needs.

Councillor George Whittaker outlined a tentative 1955 public works program for North Cowichan to cost \$105,000. He said some Chemainus street improvements must wait installation of pipelines under the new waterworks system authorized there.

## Alberni Veteran Pleads Guilty to Firearm Charge

VANCOUVER (CP)—Norman M. Theriault, 37, of Alberni, was remanded a week for sentence after he pleaded guilty in police court here Friday to a charge of possessing a firearm without a permit.

Theriault, a partially disabled veteran of the Second World War, explained he had brought the gun home with him and was taking it to a pawn shop when arrested by police Thursday.

Magistrate Oscar Orr commented, "This is the way holdup men get their guns."



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**HIGH SCHOOL JOURNALISTS**—Party of Alberni District High School students, representing Twin Cities and all portions of Alberni Valley, spent Friday afternoon on tour of Victoria Press Limited plant. Boys and girls above, led by high school staff members and advisor Miss McDougall, far right, visited all departments of Victoria Daily Times,

heard talks from all department heads on newspaper production, then watched all processes in mechanical plant. Photograph was taken as students, who take journalism as one of their courses, were given first copies of Times to come off press. Party drove to Victoria Friday morning, returned 'Up-Island late Friday night. (Photo by Irving Strickland.)

## Golfers Re-Elect Club President At Chemainus

CHEMAINUS — A. E. Craig was re-elected president of Mt. Brenton Golf Club at the annual meeting this week.

Other officers elected were first vice-president, George Hemmingsen; second vice-president, Mrs. M. A. Anthony; directors, T. Young, B. Bennie, G. Bryant, J. Myers, G. Gustafson and H. Galvin.

Annual reports were given by Jack Dowling for match committee; Mrs. M. Anthony, greens committee; R. West, club committee; Mrs. S. A. Clement, women's division captain. Report of secretary J. Sandland showed a very successful year and a substantial increase in club membership.

Club fees were set as follows: Family, \$25; single men, \$15; single women, \$10; children under 16, \$2; social fee, \$7.50.

## BRENTWOOD MAILMAN EXPECTS HARD WINTER

BRENTWOOD—Postal authorities are taking precautions to protect the rural courier here from routine winter troubles. W. H. Wilson, district director of postal services, has issued a circular appealing to rural route patrons to keep the approaches to their mail boxes clear of snow and other obstructions.

"Postal regulations," state the circular, "stipulate that responsibility for keeping approaches to rural mail boxes clear of any obstruction, so that the courier may serve same without leaving his vehicle, rests with the patrons."

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## New Kiwanis Club Formed

LAKE COWICHAN—A Kiwanis Club was organized here Thursday night under the sponsorship of Kiwanis Clubs of Duncan and Nanaimo.

Executive members are Arnie Edwin, president; Jim Allen and Len Plater, vice-presidents, and Harold Cooper, treasurer.

Directors are Dr. William Doughty, Dan Thompson, Rev. Cecil Dukefellow, Roy Hunt and Roy Ryan of Lake Cowichan, and Weir Muir, Laurie Gassford, Clarence Severson, Tom Easton, Frank Allison, Dr. Gordon Vail and Alwyn Trace of Youbou.

Other charter members are Bill Smith, Charles Omdal, George Sharp, Art Howe and Ernest Ardley of Lake Cowichan; Jack Gallagher, Harry Whisker and Ken Clark, Youbou; Percy Berry, Honeymoon Bay.

The meeting was conducted by Darwin Smith of Carmel, Calif., representing Kiwanis International. Guests included Lindsay Loutet, John Chambers, John Robinson and Bill Trusler of Duncan, and Ralph Libel and Ken Craig.

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## 15-MINUTE DISCUSSION BLASTS LONG MEETINGS

Item No. 9 on the agenda of Victoria Chamber of Commerce this morning's meeting was "the problem of long meetings."

They discussed this subject for 15 minutes, four minutes after the usual 2 p.m. adjournment hour.

Idea advanced to speed up meetings: "Get a going... cut them off at two minutes each... don't ad lib around ideas... we don't want to make this an endurance test."

It was moved that additional meetings be called at the discretion of the chair.

## U.S. BUSINESS REVIEW

### Boomlet Expands, Glumness Vanishes

By WALTER BREEDER JR.

NEW YORK (AP)—The year-end boomlet picked up momentum this week. Businessmen who had been glum six months ago could find cause for optimism.

### Builders O.K. Holiday Pay Stamp Scheme

Operating Cost  
Separate Problem

Victoria Building Industries Exchange has agreed in principle to a labor proposal that holiday pay stamp books, similar to unemployment insurance books, be adopted by B.C. construction industry.

"As long as we don't have to pay anything towards its operation," the Victoria and District Trades and Labor Council was told.

The local council suggested the system as operated in Alberta and Ontario might be effected here, allowing annual redemption of holiday pay stamps in lump sum, instead of holiday pay being added to weekly or monthly earnings.

The provincial government is studying the plan, which if adopted would apply to all construction trades and firms in the province.

## Canadian Bonds

By Investment Dealers' Association

Dom. of Canada	2 1/2	1955	100.00	101.00
1956	2 1/2	100.25	101.25	
1957	2 1/2	100.50	101.50	
1958	2 1/2	100.75	101.75	
1959	2 1/2	101.00	102.00	
1960	2 1/2	101.25	102.25	
1961	2 1/2	101.50	102.50	
1962	2 1/2	101.75	102.75	
1963	2 1/2	102.00	103.00	
1964	2 1/2	102.25	103.25	
1965	2 1/2	102.50	103.50	
1966	2 1/2	102.75	103.75	
1967	2 1/2	103.00	104.00	
1968	2 1/2	103.25	104.25	
1969	2 1/2	103.50	104.50	
1970	2 1/2	103.75	104.75	
1971	2 1/2	104.00	105.00	
1972	2 1/2	104.25	105.25	
1973	2 1/2	104.50	105.50	
1974	2 1/2	104.75	105.75	
1975	2 1/2	105.00	106.00	

## C.N.R.

1955	100.00	101.00
1956	100.25	101.25
1957	100.50	101.50
1958	100.75	101.75
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1971	104.00	105.00
1972	104.25	105.25
1973	104.50	105.50
1974	104.75	105.75
1975	105.00	106.00

## Provincial Securities

British Columbia	3	1955	100.00	101.00
1956	3	100.25	101.25	
1957	3	100.50	101.50	
1958	3	100.75	101.75	
1959	3	101.00	102.00	
1960	3	101.25	102.25	
1961	3	101.50	102.50	
1962	3	101.75	102.75	
1963	3	102.00	103.00	
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1971	3	104.00	105.00	
1972	3	104.25	105.25	
1973	3	104.50	105.50	
1974	3	104.75	105.75	
1975	3	105.00	106.00	

## Corporation and Utility Securities

Aluminum	4	1955	100.00	101.00
1956	4	100.25	101.25	
1957	4	100.50	101.50	
1958	4	100.75	101.75	
1959	4	101.00	102.00	
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1973	4	104.50	105.50	
1974	4	104.75	105.75	
1975	4	105.00	106.00	

## Convertible Securities

Aluminum	4	1955	100.00	101.00
1956	4	100.25	101.25	
1957	4	100.50	101.50	
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1974	4	104.75	105.75	
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## Y Inducts 40 Boys In Candlelit Rites

Forty boys aged nine to 14 were inducted as members of YMCA boys' department in a candlelight ceremony in the Mural Room Friday night before 115 parents.

Total number eligible for membership pins numbered 167 in two divisions, but size of accommodation limited attendance.

Pins were presented by chairman of the boys' work committee, Art Stott, assisted by Hal O'Reilly, Hale Perron and Dr. J. W. Smith.

## Jack McLung Re-Elected By Transport Workers

Division 234, Canadian Brotherhood of Railway Employees and Other Transport Workers, re-elected all but one of its 1954 slate of officers at its annual meeting this week.

Larry McLung remains as president; Jack Feeley, vice-president; Ray Fletcher, secretary-treasurer; Al Wilson, rec-

ording secretary; George Lead-

better, education committee; and Al Andrews was elected to

warden, his first executive post. George Leadbetter and Bob

Smeal, business agent, were named delegates to the B.C.

Federation of Labor convention in Vancouver, January 8 and 9.

Division 234 consists of truck, bus and cab drivers.

Following the ceremony, in which the boys were told of their duties in becoming members of the YMCA, boys fresh-

ened up with a swim, watched by parents. Movies of the Y's

Camp Thunderbird were shown to wind up the evening.

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EX-VICTORIAN Stanley A. Britt

Britt has been appointed secretary of the merchandising and retail bureau of the Vancouver Board of Trade. Formerly he was secretary of the board's ad and sales bureau.

In Victoria, Mr. Britt was chairman of the B.C. Products Fair operated by the Junior Chamber of Commerce and the last two years was a student at the Canadian Institute for Chamber of Commerce secretaries graduating in July. The merchandising and retail bureau is a newly formed group within the Vancouver board.

Rising auto output was the dominant factor, but other lines also did well.

Steel production, scheduled at 80.5 per cent of capacity, set a record for the year and lagged behind new orders.

Farm prices showed signs of stiffening. Retail trade moved up. There was evidence of an upturn in defense spending.

The stock market overcame a temporary setback and pushed to 25-year highs.

Of more than passing interest was a commerce department report showing that manufacturers of durable goods, after a year of trimming, stocks, had started to rebuild their inventories.

Good business was expected to continue into 1955. Economists and industrial leaders summed it up this way: No roaring boom in sight, but a slow and steady rise, with faster pay cheques, more jobs and higher profits.

**CAR PRODUCTION UP**

Main impetus for the upturn came from Detroit.

Humming along at the fastest pace in 1 1/2 years, U.S. auto factories racked up a one-week total of more than 162,000 cars and trucks. Chrysler, hitting the comeback trail, accounted for 21 per cent of the week's production.

Manufacturers said demand for 1955 models was so heavy that December production schedules had to be revised upward. They set the new goal of 590,000 cars—a hefty increase over the 508,000 produced in November, which constituted a record for that month.

Latest available statistics showed retail sales climbing steadily in response to clearance sales and Yule promotions. Department store business was about even with a year ago, about 10 per cent.

Sales management magazine said total December retail trade would set records.

**IWA Vote Count  
After 40-Day Wait**

Nearly all 1,600 ballots have been returned in Victoria local, International Woodworkers of America (IWO-CL) election for 1955 officers, but tabulation of results will not begin until the end of a 40-day voting period allotted membership, president Jack MacKenzie said today.

Candidates seeking executive posts include Mr. MacKenzie and Silver Dennis, supervisor at B.C. Forest Products, both up for president.

**'JET KETTLES'  
BACK AGAIN**

Salvation Army's "jet-age" Christmas kettles will make their third annual appearance on Victoria streets next Thursday, election day.

The transparent plastic observation domes from aircraft have proven successful at prompting donations from passersby since their introduction here two years ago, replacing the familiar kettle on a tripod.

Vancouver Salvation Army corps adopted the new feature this week on strength of success here.

Regardless of what Chang is, the Communist state-owned Bank of China remains one of the two biggest dealers in foreign currencies in Hong Kong.

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## Toronto Stocks Roar Up Again After Sell-Off

Midweek Decline  
Just 'Corrective'

By GEORGE LINTON  
Canadian Press Staff Writer

Canadian stock markets reeled under heavy selling this week but recovered and surged ahead Friday.

The break at midweek was the result of a sell-off in the market after the United States congressional election a month ago, but it was carried off with reduced over-all trading.

In contrast, when prices climbed again, the trading speeded up. Toronto's volume Friday was the highest in a month.

Some Toronto brokers said the volume behavior supported the idea that this week's sell-off was a technical correction in a continuing bull market. A sure characteristic of bullish sentiment, they said, was slower trading on the fall and faster on the upswing.

The markets opened strong Monday with the Toronto industrial index hitting a 20-year high.

**PRICES SLIP, RALLY**

Selling pounded prices down Tuesday and Wednesday but Thursday and Friday the bulls prevailed. Toronto's advance was less spectacular than New York's, and its group indexes all showed Friday-to-Friday losses.

Peace River Gas climbed 85 cents Friday for a \$1 gain on the week which brokers attributed to possibility of an early announcement that Peace River natural gas will be piped through B.C. into the United States.

The week's index changes: Industrials off 1.58 to 372.71, golds off .18 to 78.00, base metals off 1.75 to 155.78 and western oils off .17 to 93.93.

Index changes at Montreal were comparatively small. The greatest was papers, off 2.99 at 1105.23.

The Canadian bond market was quiet this week with prices a little firmer, traders said.

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B.C. Power Corporation, 25 cents, payable Jan. 15, record Dec. 21, ex Dec. 17.

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# IN TUNE WITH THE TIMES

**BY BILL PARKER**  
At noon Sunday, television viewers will be able to see the first of the new television series, "The Story of an Unhappy Nun," which will be the first of a new series of television plays. The production, to be directed by Peter Herman Adler, will star Elaine Mablin. The story of an unhappy nun, which will also feature singers Shannon Bohm, Joan Mayhugh, and Mary Kreese, should be worth seeing.

All in confusion!  
The other day the Sylvania Television Awards committee blasted out at crime tees shows, which we noted in this column. Now from Regina, comes news of a different note.

(These program listings are as supplied by the stations themselves and The Times is not responsible for last minute changes or other alterations. Pacific Standard Time.)

## SATURDAY NIGHT PROGRAMS

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1230 kcs	900 kc
8:00 News: Sports	Country Fair
8:30 Melody Millions	Country Fair
9:00 Melody Millions	Prd's Roundup
9:30 News: Cash Clues	It Seems to Me
10:00 News: Cash Clues	Country Time
10:30 Island Barn Dance	Country Time
11:00 Island Barn Dance	Country Time
11:30 News: Barn Dance	News Box
12:00 News: Barn Dance	News Box
12:30 News: Hocky	Hit Parade
1:00 News: Hocky	Hit Parade
1:30 News: Hocky	Say It With Me
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### 28E CLOTHING, FURS, SHOES, ETC.

**FOR SALE - LADY'S FUR COAT.** Minkskin back, 1/2 length, size 34. Excellent condition. Call afternoons, 1909 Monterey Avenue.

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Two-piece Chestnut Suite, from \$37. Six-piece Dining Suite, from \$100. Five-piece Bedroom Suite, new material, from \$100. Call 4-3437.

**CONSOLE, CHAIRS, BEDROOM SUITE.** From \$100. Call 4-3437.

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**ALL CASH - NO CONSIGNMENTS.** We are always ready to buy useful used furniture for spot cash at a little better than dealer's prices. We pay all trucking costs. It is because of our quick turnover, selling policy, that we can make this offer while still maintaining our reputation for quality. We have been two decades for selling our merchandise at very competitive prices. Thanks, folks. **WALLY GRAY USED FURNITURE.** 617-419 Johnson. 2-1631.

**YOU'LL BE AMAZED HOW MUCH YOU CAN SAVE ON THE COST OF A NEW CHESTERFIELD.** Let us show you the difference between a new Chesterfield and a used one. We have a large stock of new Chesterfields in all sizes and styles. We also have a large stock of used Chesterfields in all sizes and styles. We are always ready to buy useful used furniture for spot cash at a little better than dealer's prices. We pay all trucking costs. It is because of our quick turnover, selling policy, that we can make this offer while still maintaining our reputation for quality. We have been two decades for selling our merchandise at very competitive prices. Thanks, folks. **WALLY GRAY USED FURNITURE.** 617-419 Johnson. 2-1631.

### A PHONE CALL TO 4-4921 WILL BRING MAYNARD'S AUCTIONEERS

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**A BEAUTIFUL 9-PIECE MAHOAGANY** Duncan Dining room suite, like new, asking \$580.00. Set it and make it a close offer. Also, a 3-piece kitchen set, \$15. 2334 Arbutus Road. Phone 3-7083.

**BEAUTIFUL 9-PIECE DINING ROOM** suite, dark walnut, refectory style table, \$490. Phone 3-5044.

**GREEN BROADBENT CHESTERFIELD.** Two chairs, light green, walnut and mahogany, \$120.00. Call 4-3437.

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**HOLMAN & CANNON - WE BUY SELL** and appraise good furniture. 721 Johnson Street. Phone 4-3437.

**CHESTERFIELD CARPET CLEANED** and dyed in your own home. Don's Carpet Cleaners. 4-4118.

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Studio Lounge, \$12.50  
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Armchair Davenport, \$12.50  
Davenport with arm, \$12.50  
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Enamel Breakfast Suite, \$22.50  
Breaker's Cabinet, \$5.75  
End Table, \$5.95  
Hardwood High Chair, \$7.95  
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Large oak sideboard, \$15.00

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Absolutely the lowest prices for top quality 9 and 10-piece Broadloom Carpet. Luxurious acquisitions. One-of-a-kind carved and deep pile hard wood. From \$7.50 square yard and up. Room, size or free estimates on hand to wall.

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1 and 2-piece Convertible, \$12.50  
Suits, \$12.50 to \$125.00  
4-Door Refrigerator, \$125.00  
6-piece Bedroom Suite with spring-filled mattress, \$159.50  
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USED CHESTERFIELDS To Clear From \$10

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NEW PIANO FROM \$50. HAMMOND chord organ from \$80. 2nd manual electronic organs from \$100. Used piano from \$100. Benches, \$15. Player-piano rolls, 75 cents each. George Willis, 600 Courtney Street, at Government.

**DE LUXE VICTOR CONSOLE RADIO.** Walnut cabinet, built-in music voice, electric push button tuning, \$59.50. Guaranteed three months. Terms 5 months. 3-0248 & 4-1129.

**CURRENT MODEL WILLIS CONSERVATOR** piano, superb condition. One new \$225, exceptional value \$45. Also small Sheraton sideboard, circa 1790. \$97. 2-7390.

**BRAND NEW R.C.A. VICTOR 3-SPEED** combination, worth \$229.50. Will sacrifice for \$179.50. Terms, \$15 month. 3-0248 & 4-1129.

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**GERHARD HEINZMAN UPRIGHT** piano with stool; perfect condition. \$275. 4-0925.

**WOULD LIKE TO STORE SMALL PIANO** in good place. Mank's, Oak Bay Junction. Phone 4-3437.

**TRIC TONE T-RIGHT CABINET** stand piano and bench, \$225. 28 Lotus.

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**WANTED - A GOOD USED PIANO.** Not over \$200. 3-0248 & 4-1129.

**Ohmson Electric Hawaiian GUITAR AND** amplifier. \$189.50.

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### ASTROLOGICAL FORECAST

**MONDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1954**

**ARIES (March 21 to April 19)**—Until noon seek ways to attend to your public duties, avoid battle at home. P.M. finds you able to bring into being a better budget so that you can express a greater abundance.

**TAURUS (April 20 to May 20)**—Urges to put duties behind you would only lose support, so use a.m. to apply yourself, concentrate on your realization of health.

**GEMINI (May 21 to June 21)**—Expensive friend can take away from assets you've been carefully retaining for rainy day if you permit. P.M. finds you able quietly to secure desired data from experts, confidants.

**CANCER (June 22 to July 21)**—This morning brings disfavor from official, officer if you take any chances, but p.m. finds you with very good, determined admirer who backs you despite all problems.

**LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21)**—Stick to assisting those in distress this a.m., despite longing to get off to greener pastures. P.M. is your chance to make new acquaintances that can bring you comfort, desired information, expansion.

**VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22)**—Joint venture with another, material or emotional, runs into early daytime snag if you try to force issue. P.M. relax. Then p.m. releases new accord; get investments in order.

**IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN MONDAY**

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Again this year the Victoria Daily Times is running one of the Christmas coloring contests which have proved so popular.

There will be \$25 in cash prizes. The winner will receive \$10; second, \$5; third, \$3; fourth, \$2. There will be five other prizes of \$1.

The second of the pictures appears here today. Others will appear in the same place for the next two Saturdays.

Contest is open to any child up to 12 years of age.

Please print your name and address plainly.

Send in your entry each week as soon as you have completed it to the Victoria Daily Times. Write COLORING CONTEST on the envelope.

Do not wait to complete all four pictures before you send in your entry.

Entries will be judged in time for the prize winners to receive their cash before Christmas.

If you failed to send in last Saturday's contest picture it is not too late to enter. You must, however, get a copy of the first picture published and color it to be eligible for a prize.

The four Little People, intent on seeing Santa Claus close up, ran toward the village. Maybe they would be too late to see him, for he could skim through the sky and they were on foot.

When they arrived in the village, they found an open window in a nice white house.

"In we go," said Cork.

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"Looks like the children who live here will have a Merry Christmas," said Loop. Then suddenly he whispered, "Psst! There he goes."

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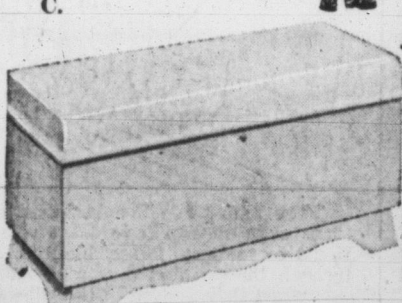
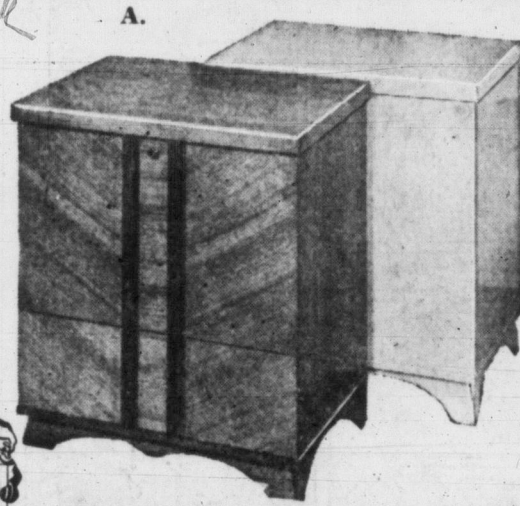
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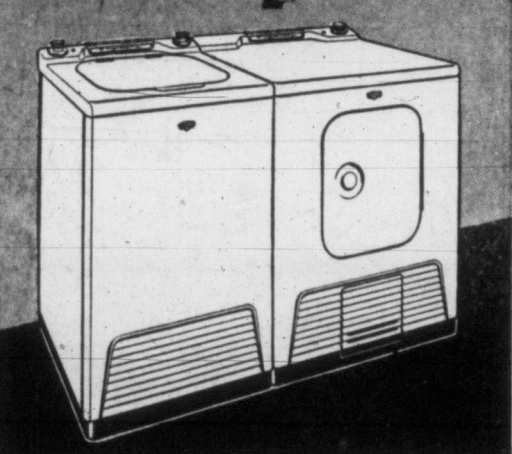
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### FIVE GENERATIONS TOGETHER FOR CHRISTMAS



When 92-year-old Mrs. D. McNeill of Roblin, Man., visited here Friday she saw her great-great-granddaughter, shown here on her lap, for the first time. Baby Cheryl Ann Lowther is just four months old. It was one of those extremely rare instances when five generations have a chance to get

together. It happened at home of J. E. Atkey, 1498 Dallas Road. Left to right are Mrs. J. J. Lowther, 21, 4103 Shelbourne; Mrs. McNeill and Cheryl, Mrs. J. E. Atkey and Mrs. R. Geernaert, Ladysmith. The group will be together for Christmas.

# Vancouver Crime Wave 'Near Reign of Terror'

## 'First Step Means War', Says Grotewohl

E. German Premier Warns West Powers

BERLIN (UP)—East German Premier Otto Grotewohl said today Communist China promised at the Moscow security conference to fight side by side with the Soviet Union if war breaks out in Europe.

Grotewohl told a press conference the Chinese Communist observer informed the Moscow meeting his country will extend its 1950 friendship pact with the Soviet Union to cover European events.

According to Grotewohl, observer Chang Wen-Tien said Red China decided to put this treaty in force if the Soviet needs help in Europe.

The East German premier called this a "very, very important result" of the conference. He advised the western powers to consider this Chinese pledge before they ratify the Paris agreements to rearm Germany.

At a reception for the East German conference delegation Grotewohl said the first step the new West German Army takes on East German soil "would mean the opening of the Third World War."

## Citizens Demanding Immediate Action

(From BUP and CP Dispatches)

VANCOUVER—Public wrath over a rampage of crime on the lower mainland reached new peak today when angry citizens demanded immediate action by police to halt a near reign of terror.

The demand for action followed two bank hold-ups Friday which netted gunmen nearly \$10,000 and brought to eight the number of banks robbed in the Greater Vancouver area in the past month. A total of \$65,000 has been stolen in the eight raids.

The two bank robberies during the Friday evening bank opening—one in West Vancouver and the other in New Westminster—came only hours after police were issued with machine guns and ordered to patrol Vancouver streets.

Apart from the bank robberies, one other armed hold-up took place Friday night when a lone gunman robbed a grocery store of \$13.

Vancouver police were issued with additional weapons Friday on orders of Mayor Fred Hume who said, "If they (the bandits) want to get tough, we can get tough, too."

Friday's first robbery came in New Westminster when a

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## Big Victoria Stores Tighten Security

Hudson's Bay, Woodward's Employ Armored Car Service in Case Mainland Badmen Here

Two city department stores adopted new security measures against hold-up this week, in the wake of increased robberies on the mainland.

Both Hudson's Bay Company and Woodward's Stores Ltd. have stopped sending deposits to banks by messenger and armed guard. In future, both stores will have their deposits called for by Loomis Armoured car service.

Several city banks have adopted a policy of keeping smaller sums of money in tellers' cages and special secret guarding arrangements have been made by city police.

The T. Eaton Company has employed the armoured car service for some time.

The possibility of Vancouver's crime wave spreading here is belittled in most quarters, due to difficulty which could occur in escaping back to the mainland.

But as one authority said, "Why take chances?"

## Disabled Navy Ship En Route To Esquimalt Under Own Power

### COAST GUARD THANKED FOR PROMPT ASSISTANCE

Rear Admiral J. C. Hibbard, flag officer, Pacific Coast, today officially expressed gratitude for assistance in the Cedarwood operations.

A radio message to USCG Sorrell said: "Your prompt action in standing by Cedarwood is greatly appreciated. Many thanks and good luck."

To the RCAF station at Comox, which dispatched a Lancaster to the scene, he messaged: "Greatly appreciate the air cover provided by 407 Squadron during recent Cedarwood operations."

### UNEXPECTED SEA DUTY

## 9 Women Among 23 Workers On Navy Ships at Rescue

An expected "few hours" at sea to watch Navy training ships in action turned into at least a three-day voyage for 23

### WIRE BRIEFS

#### Demand UN Action

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (UP)—The United States today accused Communist China of violating the Korean truce agreement by imprisoning 11 American airmen as "spies" and demanded urgent United Nations action to obtain their release.

#### 10 To Be Charged

TORONTO (BUP)—Police said today that at least 10 persons would be charged in a \$100,000 vacation pay book swindle.

#### Canucks Get Player

QUEBEC (CP)—Left-winger Earl Johnson of Quebec Aces has been sent to Vancouver Canucks of the Western Hockey League as part of a deal with New York Rangers of the National Hockey League.

Johnson has scored 12 goals in 21 games this year with the Quebec Hockey League Aces.

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HMCS Cedarwood, the sturdy workhorse of the RCN's Pacific Command, has won her desperate battle with the storm-lashed waters of Hecate Strait.

Despite a leaking hull, and aided by moderating—but still rough weather, Cedarwood is making about three knots, south of the Queen Charlotte Islands. She is bound for home port of Esquimalt, in company with HMCS Stettler, and has laid a course via Pine Island.

Naval officials here have not set an estimated arrival time at Esquimalt.

Cedarwood sprang a leak in heavy weather Friday morning and sent a distress call indicating she was in danger of sinking.

Three RCN ships, an Island Tug & Barge towboat and a U.S. Coast Guard cutter rushed to Cedarwood's aid.

The cutter, USCG Sorrell, was nearest the scene, and reached the Canadian ship at 5:30 p.m. HMCS Athabaskan, which had been on manoeuvres in Juan de Fuca Strait with HMCS Stettler, raced at full speed up the stormy west coast of Vancouver Island and arrived at 1:50 a.m. today, Sorrell, which had been standing by, was detached at 3:15 a.m. Stettler joined Athabaskan and Cedarwood at 5:30 a.m. The tug, Lloyd B. Gore, reached the scene shortly after, but its assistance was not required.

No time could be wasted in returning the workers to shore. It is naval policy to allow Dockyard civilian workers, a few hours at sea when ships are to be out for less than a day. The intention is to give the "shore-bound" workers a better idea of actual navy operations.

Eighteen of the workers, including the nine women clerical workers, are aboard Stettler. Five men are in Athabaskan, which recently completed refit and rearmament. They are testing equipment as part of post-refit routine.

It is believed the civilians received a spectacular taste of sea duty, as the two warships plowed all-out through the rough waters off the west coast of Vancouver Island.

Godfrey Threatened

BUFFALO, N.Y. (UP)—A part-time laborer who admitted writing a letter threatening to shoot Arthur Godfrey, radio-TV celebrity, was under observation in a hospital today after pleading guilty to the act.

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## CITY UNEMPLOYMENT CLIMBING HIGHER

The number of pre-Christmas job-seekers in the city is higher than the average for the past seven years, C. A. Mudge, manager of the National Employment Service Office, said today.

More men registered for work this week at the National Employment Office. Part of the total was due to seasonal conditions, while layoffs and persons seeking part-time Christmas work added to the number.

Demand for extra sales clerks to meet the Christmas rush has been small, although there have been a large number of applications for such work. Factory work is practically nonexistent.



Feller suggests a new slogan for our neighbor: "A tank in ev'ry bank."

Tain't a financial panic in Vancouver yet, but there's certainly a run on 'n banks.

D' they hold civic elections near Christmas hopin' th' voters'll be generous?

## Gunman Slips Through Cordon

The manhunt was centred in famed Stanley Park after the West Vancouver bandits crashed through a roadblock at the Lions Gate toll bridge and

sped into the park, their only avenue of escape.

Police patrols attempted to ring off the 1,000-acre park and made an exhaustive search of the area, but the gunmen apparently slipped through the cordon.

Early today, police had few clues, as has been the case in six other bank robberies in the Vancouver metropolitan area in the last six weeks. The area has a population of about 485,000.

Friday night's raids raised the bandits' take to \$70,000 since Nov. 4.

The largest haul was made Wednesday when two hold-ups, staged in the same pattern as Friday's raids, netted gunmen more than \$42,000.

Three men bulled their way through the locked doors of a

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## Chelsea XI Scores Upset Over Wolves

LONDON (UP)—Wolverhampton, first division leaders, suffered its first defeat for two months today when Chelsea scored a 4-3 win on the Molineux ground, to provide the upset of the day on the league soccer card.

The Wolves, however, kept top placing in the standings by the margin of one point over Sunderland and Manchester United, the only two among the leading five teams to win today.

Huddersfield provided another of the day's surprises by taking a 1-0 home beating from Burnley, while lowly-placed Arsenal upset all calculations by holding home team Blackpool to a 2-2 tie. (See results page 3.)

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### REDS FREE CANADIAN SUNDAY

## MacKenzie May Give Spy Charge Details

LONDON (CP)—The Daily Telegraph says Sgdn. Ldr. A. R. MacKenzie, 34-year-old Canadian fighter pilot, may throw considerable light on the interrogation and trial of 13 Americans accused by Communist China of spying.

MacKenzie, a Montrealer, was shot down over North Korea two years ago while serving with the United States Air Force on loan from the RCAF. He is to be released by the Chinese Communists at Hong Kong border Sunday.

The Daily Telegraph says: "MacKenzie was picked up at about the same time, and, it is believed, in roughly the same area as two of the Americans."

"Until fairly recently, it is understood, the Chinese insisted he was an American, and it is believed likely that he was interrogated together with some at least of the 13 convicted Americans."

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## Manitoba Bandit Suspect Dies Following Gun Battle With RCMP

BRANDON (CP)—A suspected bandit was killed early today in a gun battle which raged for half an hour at a police roadblock on the south-western Manitoba prairie.

One Mountie was wounded in the hand as a youth opened fire on two RCMP officers when they moved in to check his car and were caught momentarily in the beam of its headlights.

The battle ended with the youth sprawled dead on the front seat, still clutching a sawed-off .22-calibre rifle.

The roadblock was one of a number set up following a hotel robbery Friday night at

"political football," the situation has become a major issue in the current civic election. Portage la Prairie, in which a bandit carrying a sawed-off rifle escaped with \$253.

RCMP said the dead youth's description tallied with that of the Portage gunman. They said that he rolled down a window and fired at the two officers as they approached him in their patrol car four miles east of Brandon.

CUT ESCAPE ROUTE  
The policeman returned the fire, radioing for reinforcements as they moved in to hem off any possible escape routes. Then they abandoned the car

and took cover in a ditch. In the first exchange of shots a bullet caught Constable R. G. Allan in the left hand but the wound was not serious.

Allan and Constable R. Dow fired again after calling out for the unidentified youth to surrender but getting no answer.

The battle continued. The car was rushed when the 22's silence indicated he had been hit.

Fourteen slugs riddled the car, one of them tearing through the youth's mouth.

RCMP reported later that they have established his identity but that his name would not be released until next-of-kin have been notified.



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## ★★★★★ FINAL BULLETINS

### UBC Students Offered \$100,000

VANCOUVER (CP)—University of B.C. administration officials have offered students \$100,000 towards either a new swimming pool or a roof on Empire Pool. However, the university officials warned an increase in student fees to meet higher operating costs would follow a roof on the present pool.

### Island-Mainland Flights Monday

VANCOUVER (CP)—Pacific Western Airlines will inaugurate their daily Vancouver-Port Alberni air service Monday with one flight a day connecting with PWA's twice-daily flight to Barclay Sound and Ucluelet on the west coast of Vancouver Island.

### Two Escape RCAF Plane Crash

VULCAN, Alta. (CP)—A twin-engine RCAF Lockheed Ventura aircraft piled up and burned on take-off at Vulcan airport today but the two men aboard escaped injury. First reports said the plane's undercarriage collapsed during the take-off run. One engine dropped out of its wing and the plane ground-looped and burst into flames, a witness said.

### RCN Not Taking Over RN Base

HALIFAX (BUP)—Rear Admiral Roger Bidwell today denied reports that the Canadian Navy plans to take over a Royal Navy base in Bermuda.

### Ammunition Powder Truck Explodes

OWATONNA, Minn. (AP)—A large semi-trailer truck loaded with ammunition powder caught fire and exploded here early today, scattering unspent powder pellets over a wide area. No one was injured. The truck virtually disintegrated, part of a gasoline filling station was wrecked and nearby buildings were damaged.

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VATICAN CITY (AP)—Two cardinals emerged from a bedside audience with Pope Pius XII today and reported finding the gravely ill pontiff "much better and more cheerful." The two prelates, Eugene Cardinal Tisserant, dean of the College of Cardinals, and Nicol Cardinal Canali, said the Pope spent a comparatively restful night. Physicians earlier reported the 78-year-old Pius was in dangerous but no longer desperate condition. His strong heart gave hope for his survival. The cardinals said the Pope was "most cordial" during the 15-minute meeting, one of several the pontiff has arranged despite his illness. He is reported to have talked Friday with Msgr. Domenico Tardini, a close associate in the Vatican state secretariat, and Msgr. Giovanni Battista Montini, recently appointed Archbishop of Milan, who has been mentioned as a possible successor to the papal throne. There has been no indication of the purpose of the meetings, but there is speculation that the Pope plans to hold a bedside consistory to fill the six empty seats in the College of Cardinals.

## 'First Step Means War', Says Grotewohl

BERLIN (UP)—East German Premier Otto Grotewohl said today Communist China promised at the Moscow security conference to fight side by side with the Soviet Union if war breaks out in Europe. Grotewohl told a press conference the Chinese Communist observer informed the Moscow meeting his country will extend its 1950 friendship pact with the Soviet Union to cover European events. According to Grotewohl, observer Chang Wen-Tien said Red China decided to put this treaty in force if the Soviet needs help in Europe. At a reception for the East German conference delegation Grotewohl said the first step the new West German Army takes on East German soil "would mean the opening of the Third World War."

## Demand UN Action UNITED NATIONS, N.Y.

(UP)—The United States today accused Communist China of violating the Korean truce agreement by imprisoning 11 American airmen as "spies" and demanded urgent United Nations action to obtain their release.

## FIVE GENERATIONS TOGETHER FOR CHRISTMAS



When 92-year-old Mrs. D. McNeill of Roblin, Man., arrived here Friday she saw her great-great-granddaughter, shown here on her lap, for the first time. Baby Cheryl Ann Lowther is just four months old. It was one of those extremely rare instances when five generations have a chance to get together. It happened at home of J. E. Atkey, 1498 Dallas Road. Left to right are Mrs. J. J. Lowther, 21, 4103 Shellbourne; Mrs. McNeill and Cheryl; Mrs. McNeill's daughter, Mrs. J. E. Atkey; and Mrs. R. Geernaert, Lady-smith, Mrs. Atkey's daughter. The group will be together for Christmas.

## Disabled Navy Ship En Route To Esquimalt Under Own Power

HMCS Cedarwood, the sturdy workhorse of the RCN's Pacific Command, has won her desperate battle with the storm-lashed waters of Hecate Strait. Despite a leaking hull, and aided by moderating—but still rough weather, Cedarwood is making about three knots, south of the Queen Charlotte Island. She is bound for home port of Esquimalt, in company with HMCS Stettler, and has laid a course via Pine Island. Naval officials here have not set an estimated arrival time at Esquimalt. Cedarwood sprang a leak in heavy weather Friday morning and sent a distress call indicating she was in danger of sinking. Three RCN ships, an Island Tug & Barge towboat and a U.S. Coast Guard cutter rushed to Cedarwood's aid. The cutter, USCG Sorrell, was nearest the scene, and reached the Canadian ship at 5:30 p.m. HMCS Athabaskan, which had been on manoeuvres in Juan de Fuca Strait with HMCS Stettler, raced at full speed up the stormy west coast of Vancouver Island and arrived at 1:50 a.m. today. Sorrell, which had been standing by, was detached at 3:15 a.m. Stettler joined Athabaskan and Cedarwood at 5:30 a.m. The tug, Lloyd B. Gore, reached the scene shortly after, but its assistance was not required.

## 9 Women Among 23 Workers On Navy Ships at Rescue

An expected "few hours" as sea to watch Navy training ships in action turned into at least a three-day voyage for 23 civilian employees of HMCS Dockeyard, nine of them women office workers. The civilians were aboard HMC ships Athabaskan and Stettler when the Pacific Command ordered the destroyer and frigate to make all speed to the aid of Cedarwood. No time could be wasted in returning the workers to shore. It is naval policy to allow Dockeyard civilian workers a few hours at sea when ships are to be out for less than a day. The intention is to give the "shore-bound" workers a better idea of actual navy operations. Eighteen of the workers, including the nine women clerical workers, are aboard Stettler. Five men are in Athabaskan, which recently completed refit and rearmament. They are testing equipment as part of post-refit routine. It is believed the civilians received a spectacular taste of sea duty, as the two warships plowed all-out through the rough waters off the west coast of Vancouver Island.



Feller suggests a new slogan for our neighbor: "A tank in every bank."

Tain't a financial panic in Vancouver yet, but there's certainly a run on th' banks.

D' they hold civic elections near Christmas hopin' th' voters'll be generous?

## \$65,000 Stolen In Eight Raids

(From BUP and CP Dispatches)

VANCOUVER—Public wrath over a rampage of crime on the lower mainland reached new peak today when angry citizens demanded immediate action by police to halt a near reign of terror. The demand for action followed two bank hold-ups Friday which netted gunmen nearly \$10,000 and brought to eight the number of banks robbed in the Greater Vancouver area in the past month. A total of \$65,000 has been stolen in the eight raids. The two bank robberies during the Friday evening bank opening—one in West Vancouver and the other in New Westminster—came only hours after police were issued with machine guns and ordered to patrol Vancouver streets. Apart from the bank robberies, one other armed hold-up took place Friday night when a lone gunman robbed a grocery store of \$13. Vancouver police were issued with additional weapons Friday on orders of Mayor Fred Hume who said, "If they (the bandits) want to get tough, we can get tough, too." Friday's first robbery came in New Westminster when a lone man brandished a gun in a Bank of Toronto branch and told teller Jean Wainwright to "hand it over." He escaped on foot with more than \$2,000. A special police guard was mounted overnight over a vault full of money which was collected Friday for B.C.'s sick and crippled children. Police checked all cars as they brought contributions from all parts of Vancouver to the March of Dimes headquarters. In addition to the outbreak of bank robberies, Vancouver has witnessed more than 60 other robberies with violence in the past month. Three men, operating with professional precision, looted a West Vancouver bank of \$7,500 and a lone bandit walked out of a New Westminster bank with loot estimated at \$2,500. First reports placed the total loot at \$30,000, but bank officials scaled these figures down Friday night.

## Gunman Slips Through Cordon

The manhunt was centred in famed Stanley Park after the West Vancouver bandits crashed through a roadblock at the Lions Gate toll bridge and sped into the park, their only avenue of escape. Police patrols attempted to ring off the 1,000-acre park and made an exhaustive search of the area, but the gunman apparently slipped through the cordon. Early today, police had few clues, as has been the case in

## Big Victoria Stores Tighten Security

### Hudson's Bay, Woodward's Employ Armored Car Service in Case Mainland Badmen Here

Two city department stores adopted new security measures against hold-up this week, in the wake of increased robberies on the mainland. Both Hudson's Bay Company and Woodward's Stores Ltd. have stopped sending deposits to banks by messenger and armed guard. In future, both stores will have their deposits called for by Loomis Armoured car service. Several city banks have adopted a policy of keeping smaller sums of money in tellers' cages and special secret guarding arrangements have been made by city police. The T. Eaton Company has employed the armoured car service for some time. The possibility of Vancouver's crime wave spreading here is belittled in most quarters, due to difficulty which could occur in escaping back to the mainland. But as one authority said, "Why take chances?"

## Manitoba Bandit Suspect Dies Following Gun Battle With RCMP

BRANDON (CP)—A suspected bandit was killed early today in a gun battle which raged for half an hour at a police roadblock on the south-western Manitoba prairie. One Mountie was wounded in the hand as a youth opened fire on two RCMP officers when they moved in to check his car and were caught momentarily in the beam of its headlights. The battle ended with the youth sprawled dead on the front seat, still clutching a sawed-off .22-calibre rifle. The roadblock was one of a number set up following a hold-up robbery Friday night at Portage la Prairie, in which a bandit carrying a sawed-off rifle escaped with \$253. RCMP said the dead youth's description tallied with that of the Portage gunman. They said that he rolled down a window and fired at the two officers as they approached him in their patrol car four miles east of Brandon. The battle continued. The car was rushed when the 22's silence indicated he had been hit. Fourteen slugs riddled the car, one of them tearing through the youth's mouth. RCMP reported later that they have established his identity but that his name would not be released until next-of-kin have been notified.